

## FEDERAL REPLY TO B.C. IS ASKED

### Japan Stands By "Hands Off China" Declaration

Recent Statement Was Correct Indication of Policy, Foreign Minister at Tokio Tells British Ambassador

#### British Newspapers Foresee Big Events

Canadian Press via Havas, Tokio, April 25.—The "Hands off China" warning by the spokesman of the Japanese Foreign Office was a correct statement of the policy of the Japanese government, declared Foreign Minister Koki Hirota during a talk to-day with Sir Francis Lindley, the British ambassador, according to the Reuters correspondent here.

Tokio, April 25.—Sir Francis Lindley, British Ambassador to Japan, visited Foreign Minister Koki Hirota to-day and delivered the request of Foreign Secretary Sir John Simon for a further elucidation of Japan's new policy.

NO. U.S. QUERIES  
United States Ambassador Joseph C. Grew had received no instructions to make inquiries regarding the declaration at the Foreign Office. High officials dismissed as unworthy of serious consideration suggestions that M. Yokoyama's statements at Geneva could be interpreted as indicating Japan's intentions to encourage Asiatic dependencies to shake off the bonds of United States and European powers.

By George Hambleton, Canadian Press Staff Writer

London, April 25.—Little to stir already known was added by Sir John Simon, Foreign Secretary, when he was questioned in the House of Commons to-day about the Japanese "hands off China" declaration and the representations the British Government is making in connection with the statement.

Sir Francis Lindley, British Ambassador at Tokio, would see the Japanese Minister of Foreign Affairs to-day, Sir John told questioners. He did not expect to receive the views of the Japanese government, clarifying the statement and also explaining how it would affect British activities, for a few days.

Sir John added he must see the terms of the Ambassador's report on his conversations before determining whether he could make the exchange public.

DEBATE DESIRED  
Major Clement Attlee, acting Labor leader, gave notice he intended to raise the question of Japan on the first available day for committee of supply when debate would be possible.

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### More Loggers Going To Work On Island

Additional Men Joining Workers at Great Central Lake; Strikers Move Into Bush; Head Loaders Refuse to Talk to Strikers

Special to The Times  
Camp Three, Great Central Lake, April 25.—Logging operations are continuing here as usual with ninety-nine men who refuse to be intimidated by the strikers hard at work in the bush. Bruce M. Farria, vice-president of the Great Central Saw Mills Limited, announced to-day that in addition to the ninety-nine loggers 103 men were employed at the mill. Another ten loggers from Vancouver are expected to arrive here to-day and will immediately be put to work.

The threatening situation which developed over the week-end has eased off considerably to-day. Since the initial conference with the mill executives at which the demands of the strikers for the discharge of all men employed in the camps and recognition of camp fires committees were refused, the main body of the strikers have withdrawn some distance from the logging camp. They have sufficient food for several days and are equipped with blankets, but the rain which fell this week has not added to their comfort. The strikers have been approaching provincial police and asked permission to interview two head loaders. The loaders were given the message, but stated emphatically they would not talk to the pickets and intended staying on the job.

### PROTEST BAN ON U.S. LOGS

Shortage of Supplies in B.C. Trouble May Tie Up Mills, Say Operators

By Times Staff Correspondent  
Ottawa, April 25.—British Columbia lumbermen protested to Premier Pattullo here to-day that they might be forced to close their sawmills if the federal Trade Department persisted in its objection to importation of United States logs. The department has warned lumbermen Canada cannot expect to enjoy the British lumber preference if it makes its lumber from logs imported from a foreign country.

In reply, lumbermen state that, on account of the loggers' strike, they cannot secure sufficient log supplies in British Columbia. They are asking Mr. Pattullo to seek to avoid the ban on U.S. importations until the B.C. logging situation adjusts itself. The Premier has the whole question under advisement and plans to confer on it with departmental officials. He had nothing to say to-day about the attitude of the government.

### RUSH CATTLE BILL THROUGH

Canadian Press

Ottawa, April 25.—The Senate agricultural committee rushed a bill through to-day to give the government control of cattle shipments to the United Kingdom. It already had been passed by the House of Commons.

The United Kingdom government placed a quota of 20,000 cattle against Canada for the first six months of this year, equal to the shipments in the same period in 1933. Up to last week, Canadian shippers had come within 1,000 of the quota.

The bill, which the Senate committee passed to-day, would give the Department of Agriculture power to license exporters.

Canadian Press

Ottawa, April 25.—Hon. C. H. Cahan, Secretary of State, gave notice to-day he would introduce the revised Companies Act later in the week. It was understood there will be no enabling legislation by the provinces to co-ordinate companies legislation throughout the Dominion, this plan having failed.

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### A NOOK IN ONE OF VICTORIA'S LOVELY GARDENS



After the recent warm spell the gardens of Victoria are looking their very best and are entrancing in the wealth of their beauty. The above picture was taken by Gus A. Maves in the grounds of Sir Frank and Lady Barnard, Seaview Terrace.

### Two Bandit Raids as 5,000 Police Seek U.S. Outlaws

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Election of F. R. West to British House Is Setback For Government

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#### Homestead Near St. Paul, Minn., Visited By Four Men and Two Women; Akron, Ohio, Bank Pillaged By Two Men; Officers in Five States Watch For Dillinger and His Mob

Associated Press  
St. Paul, Minn., April 25.—Four men and two women raided a farm home near Elk River to-day, took a small amount of cash and fled, causing a general alarm to Twin Cities police, who were told erroneously the gunmen had commandeered an automobile.

Elk River is thirty miles north of St. Paul.

Several police cars were rushed to the vicinity of Elk River in the belief the Dillinger gang was in the area since the gunfight at Mercer, Wis., Sunday night, when the Dillinger mob outshot a large force of federal men and escaped from a summer resort where they had hidden several days.

BANK HELD UP  
Akron, O., April 25.—The Mogadore savings bank, in suburban Mogadore, was held up and robbed of \$4,000 by two bandits shortly after noon to-day. The robbers kidnapped two clerks and two customers.

The robbers fled in a light-colored sedan car and one-half miles north of the city, near the Cleveland-Akron road.

The captives gave Akron police information which enabled them to attach to the car used by the robbers. Police began an immediate check to determine whether this was one of the Dillinger gang cars which fled a trap in northern Wisconsin forty-eight hours ago.

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Canadian Press

Ottawa, April 25.—That the new gold tax will be drastically revised seems accepted as certain among politicians here following second protests against it from British Columbia and eastern Canadian mining interests. The government is working with mining men on suggestions which would affect large, prosperous mines but not interfere with operations of those with low grade ore.

But the provincial governments, including British Columbia, will object to any gold tax, it was learned. British Columbia authorities regard

#### B.C. ARGUMENT ON GOLD TAX

Federal Levy Invades Provincial Field; Government Takes It Up With Ottawa

Premier Pattullo, in Ottawa, has been asked to take up with the Dominion Government British Columbia's position in regard to the new 10 per cent gold tax announced in the budget. It was announced to-day by Hon. George S. Pearson, Minister of Mines and Labor, who has been closely studying the situation since the tax was decided.

Because of the recent rapid development in B.C. mining consequent upon the big rise in the world gold price, the province is vitally interested in the new levy. While recognizing that there is justification for a tax on the gold output, B.C. is understood, takes exception to the fee, as now proposed on two grounds, namely:

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### FOREST FIRES IN ALBERTA

Edmonton, April 25.—Forest fires are reported raging north of Peace and Carrot Creek, about 100 miles west of Edmonton.

A gang of fifty men has been employed in fighting the flames, which are reported to have covered considerable territory. This is the earliest date for forest fires in that region in several years.

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### PATTULLO IN OTTAWA TILL PLANS DRAFTED

### RAINS HALT FIRE SEASON

Unusually Early Start in Forest Blazes Checked By General Downpour

The break in the weather during the last two days, extending generally over the island and lower mainland, was heartily welcomed by headquarters of the forest protection service of the B.C. Department of Lands.

Continued fine and warm conditions during the last two weeks had resulted in a critical forest fire situation. Vancouver Island had a bad outbreak and a few small blazes in other parts were reported and officials were prepared for an early fire season. The recent rains afforded a respite, however.

If the law of averages has anything to do with it, British Columbia is in for a bad fire year in any case, officials believe, and weather conditions so far strengthen this thought. Predictions of a long dry summer have resulted in preparations for a hard fight against forest-destroying fires. To this end the forest protection vote in the estimates was restored to its former level of \$300,000.

Last year the fire loss was much lighter than it has been for a number of years.

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**Leadership Course To Be Instituted**

The institution of a course of instruction in devotional leadership was decided upon by the Victoria Boys' Community Council at their regular monthly meeting Saturday evening. The course will begin at the opening

of the new season in September. The matter of an unemployment bureau was discussed at some length by the gathering, following a motion by Deputy Clerk L. Matthews. It was also decided to sponsor an inter-group hike on June 3, and to hold the June meeting of the council in the form of a picnic. Other matters discussed by the meeting included the formation of an oratorical contest and debating league, to begin in September.

**CHAMBER HEADS ARE SELECTED**

New Directors Announced Following Count of Ballots Yesterday Evening

New directors of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce were announced yesterday evening, following the counting of mailed ballots.

Those elected to the board as the result of the vote are: James H. Fletcher, P. B. Fowler, Harold Hubbard, J. V. Johnson, R. H. B. Ken, George McGregor, S. W. Mayhew, G. H. Stevens and J. Harold Wilson. All the above will serve for two years and James Fletcher for one.

The election committee also named the arbitration committee for the chamber as follows: James H. Fletcher, P. B. Fowler, J. V. Johnson, R. H. B. Ken, S. W. Mayhew, G. H. Stevens. It will be the duty of the latter committee to arbitrate in case of disputes arising from matters submitted by the membership.

A chairman of the directors is expected to be elected by the directors at their next regular meeting.

Dr. E. M. Best, general secretary of the national council of the Y.M.C.A.s of Canada, is expected to reach Victoria from Vancouver to-morrow morning. Dr. Best is at present on a tour of inspection of the western branches of the association, and is helping preserve the contact between the outposts of the "Y" on the Pacific and the headquarters in Toronto.

The morning will be devoted to a conference with the staff of the local branch, in the course of which the national general secretary will give the latest news of the progress of the association throughout the country. After speaking before the Rotary Club at their luncheon, Dr. Best will confer with H. B. Witter, president of the Victoria "Y" in the afternoon. Dr. Best will stay in Victoria two days and leave by the midnight boat to Vancouver Friday night.

**TIMBER SALE IS APPROVED**

City Council Decides No Ill Effects Will Follow Logging on Watershed

After hearing Alderman Andrew McGavin, chairman of the water board, state authorities to show the extreme doubt in the minds of experts regarding the detrimental effect of logging off watersheds, the City Council yesterday evening approved the agreement between the water committee and the Kappor Lumber Company for the \$62,000 sale of timber of the Goldstream watershed.

The council also decided to thank John Dean for his offer to pay for a "mail order" survey of the ground by a firm of London engineers, but declined to accept his offer in view of the costs it would place upon the city.

A statement was read from G. M. Irwin, acting water commissioner, replying to a letter from Mr. Dean in which he offered to pay for the survey. Accumulation of required data for the British engineers, the acting water commissioner stated, would cost the city in the neighborhood of \$3,000 to \$5,000.

"In my opinion, the proposed agreement with the Kappor Lumber Company will not be detrimental to the city's water system," he wrote in another communication.

Alderman McGavin, quoting from a nine-page brief prepared by Mr. Irwin, noted the difference of opinion on the value of keeping timber for the purpose of conserving water on a watershed.

"Mr. John Dean wants to send to a firm of London engineers, but in my opinion, that would be too costly," he said in reference to Mr. Dean's request for a survey of the situation. "Mr. Irwin says it would cost about \$5,000, while others maintain it would run as high as \$10,000. That is too much for a mail order decision," the alderman declared.

He went on to state that less than 25 per cent of the timber which was to be cut actually affected the city's water system. It was also pointed out that a good fringe of trees was to be left around the ponds which fed the system.

Alderman McGavin quoted at some length a Seattle authority dealing with conditions similar to those involved in the local issue. The Seattle engineer had been unable to determine whether or not there had been any ill results from cutting forests on watersheds.

Contrary evidence to generally accepted theories of the beneficial effects of forests on watersheds was presented by Alderman McGavin in a report from the findings of J. C. Stevens, United States engineer, who studied the question for the Anacosta Copper Company. Alderman McGavin was quite satisfied the agreement cared amply for the city's interests from a water point of view and expressed the view the sale would be an exceedingly good piece of business for Victoria.

Various communications related to the timber deal were received and filed by the council and the members of the waterboard were thanked and congratulated for their excellent work.

**WOMEN ASK FEE RETURN**

Misses Shaw of Uplands Claim Securities Faulty in Settlement

Following on court actions of last week, the move yesterday before Judge Lampman of W. H. M. Haldane, counsel for H. W. Davey and H. A. Beckwith, for speed judgment against the Misses Margaret Shaw and Mary Shaw, Shore Road, Uplands, on the balance of their bill for bringing about an alleged settlement in their demand for an accounting with P. B. Pemberton, resulted in P. J. Sinnott, counsel for the Misses Shaw, bringing before the judge a counter-claim, calling for the return of all monies paid on account to Mr. Davey and Mr. Beckwith.

The plaintiff declared that as a result of negotiations by Mr. Davey, who had been introduced to the Misses Shaw by George B. Randall, realtor, Mr. Davey and Mr. Beckwith obtained for them a settlement with Mr. Pemberton on the basis of \$23,099.77, representing their claim on monies placed for investment.

"The defendants were advised that if they failed to accept the settlement they would not be able to collect any money or obtain any better security, and that other creditors of Pemberton were accepting less advantageous settlements," Mr. Sinnott re-

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

H. H. Lively, chiropractic specialist, 312-3 Pemberton Building. 111

"H.M.S. Pinafore," produced by Eurydice Art Club, Friday, April 27, Empire Theatre. Theatre box office now open, 2 to 6 p.m. Reserved, 50c and 75c. \*\*\*

St. John's A.P.A. present the Biblical drama, "A Dream of Queen Esther," Shrine auditorium, Thursday, April 26, 1934, at 8 p.m. \*\*

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**LENGTHY FUNERAL SERVICE**

New York, April 25 (Associated Press).—Eighty priests and three bishops chanted yesterday for five hours without ceasing at the funeral service held for the Metropolitan Platon, head of the Russian Orthodox Church in the United States. The solemn procession moved into the Russian cathedral exactly at 10 o'clock and the reading of the high requiem mass was not finished until after 2 o'clock.

of further affidavits," M. Haldane said.

"It sticks out in the material that the two defendants are not women of straw," said Judge Lampman.

It was pointed out that if the present action were abandoned, the case would only be prosecuted in another form, as the two women concerned were persons of means.

The judge ordered resumption of the hearing on Friday, with the material to be used by the Misses Shaw made available to Mr. Haldane and his clients by Thursday.

pled. As a result, the Misses Shaw had entered into the proposed settlement, "believing that the settlement was good and the securities satisfactory, only to find out subsequently that the securities were not equivalent to the sum of \$23,099.77, but consisted of frozen assets, assigned and doubtful monies of a defunct company and generally valueless and worthless securities."

Mr. Sinnott stated to the court that "the legal fees for this was on the basis of a commission amounting to \$1,219.98 on the sum of \$23,099.77."

"As the Misses Shaw have never received the sum of \$23,099, the plaintiffs are therefore not entitled to the sum of \$1,219.98, or any other sum for commission as set forth, Mr. Sinnott stated. He therefore counter-claimed for the return of the \$866.38, which the Misses Shaw had already paid the lawyers."

The judge ordered the hearing adjourned until Friday so Mr. Sinnott could produce necessary affidavits from the Misses Shaw.

"This is supposed to be equal to a trial of the action, and I therefore object to adjournment for the filing







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## CANADA AND PEACE

"The demands on one's virtues in peace are harder and more exacting than the demands on one's virtues in war. To have the courage of one's convictions is greater than a soldier's courage, and I am not belittling soldiers."—Dr. T. W. L. McDermot, national secretary of the League of Nations Society.

**A SHORT TIME AGO PROFESSOR McDermot** resigned a position on the faculty of McGill University in order to devote himself to the organization of an effective public opinion for peace in Canada. He wants the people of this country to understand the reasons and causes of war and the conditions which create it. He naturally disputes the theory that war is inevitable, or that there is little the League of Nations can do about it. It is quite true, of course, that if the League shall be denied the support of the general public the world over its span of life will not be a very long one.

The economic conditions of the world during the last four years, with millions of unemployed and starving people, is a legacy of the last war. What is Canada's part of that legacy? There are approximately 1,000,000 Canadians drawing relief in some form or other. There is a national debt of more than \$2,700,000,000, three-fourths of which is on war account. Some provinces and municipalities are either bankrupt or on the verge of bankruptcy. Out of every dollar Canada takes in at Ottawa, she is obliged to earmark forty cents of it to help to meet the expense of her share in the last war.

It is obvious, therefore, that the issue of peace or war is something which directly concerns every individual in Canada. Indeed, it ought to hit everybody squarely between the eyes, since the very least certainty of another war would be the pauperizing of every man, woman and child in the country. A public which feels uncomfortable under the obligation to pay forty cents in the dollar for the last war would feel much more so if it had to pay twice that amount. And that would be putting the prospect in its most favorable light, for revolution and chaos would inevitably be the lot of every country which engaged in another major conflict. Hence, Dr. McDermot, in emphasizing the danger in these grave international issues, is not discussing anything abstract or remote. He is just explaining how the public can avoid the uncomfortable necessity of committing suicide. The problems he presents are problems for the every-day public and nobody else.

Professor McDermot pointed out in his address yesterday that while there are being spent annually between \$5,000,000 and \$6,000,000 in the cause of peace, more than \$5,000,000,000 are being expended annually on preparations for war. President Roosevelt's first reconstruction budget was placed at \$8,000,000,000; but the United States spent \$31,000,000,000 on the war while they were in it. It cost Great Britain \$5,000 a minute for the last war. Well might Professor McDermot propound the question: "To what extent are Canadians interested in maintaining peace in the world, and how are they interested?"

## THE SUGAR TAX

**IT IS TO BE HOPED THAT HON. E. N. Rhodes**, Dominion Minister of Finance, will have a change of heart and make the cut in the sugar tax effective on May 1 instead of July 1.

British Columbia fruit and vegetable canners, together with jam manufacturers, have wired to the minister pointing out to him that the berry and other small fruit crop in this province is unusually advanced this year and that deliveries will be made to canners within the next few days.

Crops in the east are not ready until the third week in June which, of course, would give eastern canners an unfair advantage over western manufacturers.

Mr. Rhodes has been informed that if the western canners are not allowed to process a substantial part of their crop now with the cheaper sugar, a large part of the fresh crop will back up on the prairie and coast markets with disastrous results to the producers.

In all of this the domestic canner is also interested. A cent a pound in the cost of sugar may mean all the difference between well-filled shelves of cheaper preserves and none at all.

## WHEAT AND THE ORIENT

**HON. HERBERT MARLER**, CANADA'S minister to Tokio, who passed through Victoria yesterday, says the Dominion is doing only "fairly well" in her wheat trade with Japan. He sees no reason why Canada should not greatly increase her sales.

On more than one occasion Mr. Marler has emphasized Canada's trade possibilities in the Orient and the new business that could be got by going after it. For the twelve months ending February of this year the exchange was worth \$16,600,000, or an increase over the preceding year of \$1,800,000; but in the twelve months ending February, 1932, the business was worth a little more than \$23,000,000. So that in spite of the recent gain of \$1,800,000, the total is still \$7,000,000 below what it was two years ago.

One of the weaknesses of our trade position in the Orient would seem to be insufficient organization. Canada has two Trade Commissioners over there, one in China and the other in Japan, to survey a field of business in which dwell about 550,000,000 people, or a quarter of the human race. These officials no doubt are discharging their duties as efficiently as the resources at their disposal permit; but it seems that a great opportunity for extending trade is not being

seized. A government official, of course, can aid the exporter only up to a point. The rest remains for the man who has wares to sell.

Mr. Marler's reference to wheat exports to the Orient, particularly to Japan, is interesting because if there is one commodity which Canada wants to sell in greater quantities it is wheat. But if bread is to become a staple commodity among the masses of the Orient it will have to be popularized and the price will have to be right. Cheaper production in Canada would be attained by reducing the tariff on the implements which the farmer uses and by making it possible for him to get cheaper power.

Supposing within the next ten years even one-half of the population in China and Japan have got used to bread made from Canadian wheat flour, there would be an outlet for at least 250,000,000 bushels, taking the annual consumption of a bushel a head for, say, 250,000,000 people. Canadians consume seven bushels a head a year.

It is not for us to work out a formula to accomplish this. But as Canada needs this business badly there is no reason why she should not go after it.

## LABOR WINS NORTH HAMMERSMITH

**ALTHOUGH IT STILL COMMANDS A** record majority in the House of Commons, the National Government of Great Britain continues to lose thousands of votes at each successive election. The Labor Party recaptured North Hammersmith yesterday with a majority over Conservative and Communist combined of 2,902. The figures were: Mr. F. R. West, Labor, 14,263; Captain Percy Davis, Conservative, 10,747; and Mr. E. F. Bramley, Communist, 614. The vacancy arose through the death of Hon. Mary Pickford, who won the seat from the Laborites in the general election in 1931 by a majority of 5,849 over the combined total of three opponents.

This striking victory at Hammersmith follows closely the large reduction in the size of the Conservative majority in the by-election in the Hampshire division of Basingstoke last Friday, where the government candidate polled 16,147 votes, compared with a combined total by Liberal and Laborite of 13,925. In the general election of 1931 the Conservative polled 23,523 votes, compared with a Liberal-Labor total of 10,230. Yesterday's contest was the thirty-seventh since the government took office with its record following, and it marks Labor's fifth gain, while the average drop in Conservative voting strength in the constituencies in which by-elections have had to be fought has been between 7,000 and 9,000 votes.

North Hammersmith, since the war, has been represented four times each by Laborites and Conservatives respectively. This is the second time Mr. Bramley has carried the Communist colors into the fray and the second time he has lost his deposit. In 1931 he received 697 votes and yesterday the best he could do was 614. If the showing Communists make in British parliamentary elections is any indication of the strength of their party, the so-called "red" bogey which Sir Oswald Mosley's blackshirts seem to think their mission to subvert is a very puny affair indeed.

To most people Ottawa's chief claims to national distinction are that it is the seat of the Dominion government and has a beautiful natural setting. But it has another claim which perhaps very few Canadians are familiar. Within the municipal limits there are no fewer than 246 species of birds, more than in any other city in the world. This, of course, has no reference whatever to the political "birds" who just now are chirping on Parliament Hill.

## WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

**A LITTLE PREMATURE**  
 The Baltimore Sun

Too much sympathy is being wasted on Bobby Jones. True, due to a streak of bad putting, he finished ten strokes behind the winner of the Augusta tournament. But he played his last two rounds in even par and the two previous rounds in six over par, a gain that does not call for tears, or indicate that he is yet to be numbered among the cripples and has-beens.

**HONORING THE ENEMY**  
 The Guelph Mercury

The ways of a statesman sometimes are a trifle hard to figure out. Austria's Chancellor Dollfuss seems to be the latest to contribute a riddle of statesmanlike behavior.

Trying to patch up the wounds which he helped to inflict on his tortured country, the Chancellor the other day pleaded for national harmony and remarked that "we cannot but respect the bravery of the Socialists and their loyalty to their ideals." And, he added, "we must do all we can to heal the open wounds."

Yet, on the same day, he hanged another Socialist leader, sentenced two more to life imprisonment, packed all Socialist bookstores and saw to it that all Socialist newspapers were removed from circulation.

As a method of healing open wounds and showing respect for the bravery of one's opponents, this would seem to be almost unique.

**DELIVER US FROM TALK!**  
 The Vancouver Sun

Whatever faults Canadian radio programmes may have—and doubtless they have many—the eternal and interminable talk of American announcers is, thank God, not one of them.

Some of our Canadian announcers are worthy, it is true. We have faith, however, that a just and compassionate Providence will intervene appropriately before it is too late.

Heaven forbid that our radio programmes should ever even approximate the orgies of talk, explanations, voice-cries and ornamental conversation that gushes like a tidal flood over the tortured air of United States.

For every ten bars of music, there is a bushel of words.

We listen to some pleasant and perhaps inspiring melody, only to have some mealy-mouthed radio maggot spoil the flavor of it by blurring for ten minutes about the virtues of somebody's loathsome corn cure.

## A THOUGHT

Take you wise men, and understanding, and known among your tribes, and I will make them rulers over you.—Deuteronomy 1:13.

He is wise who can instruct us and assist us in the business of daily virtuous living.—Carlyle.

## Loose Ends

Major Douglas and Social Credit—Mr. P. J. P. McGeer and Finance—Mr. McGeer and Inflation—Gold and Currency.

By H. B. W.

## FLOP

**THE EDITOR OF A** paper in a large prairie city got on the train just now and told me about Major Douglas's attempt to explain Social Credit to the people of the prairie. Apparently it wasn't very successful. According to my informant, some people had an idea what Social Credit meant when the major started, but no one had when he finished. As a result, the people of the prairie probably imagine now that no one, not even Major Douglas, its inventor, knows what Social Credit means. Indeed, it will probably turn out that the major's tour across Canada, instead of selling the idea to the Canadian people, has seriously damaged the whole cause of monetary reform by making people think that no one but an economist or a lunatic can get his mind around it.

The trouble with all these fellows is that they assume too much elementary knowledge on the part of the public. They develop the dizzy superstructure of their theory without bothering about the foundation. They formulate elaborate plans for the intelligent use of credit before they have explained to the public what money means. They imagine, because the public applauds fellows like Mr. McGeer, that it understands him.

Mr. McGeer also imagines that it understands him. Mr. Pattullo imagines that it understands him when he proposes a vast national recovery programme, financed by the national credit, when actually the public has thought all along that he proposes a plan to inflate currency or increase the debt. And, of course, he proposes no such thing.

But I doubt that a hundred people in British Columbia or fifty in Ontario know it. I doubt that Premier Bennett has any notion of what Mr. Pattullo is talking about. The mistake that able men like Mr. Pattullo and Mr. McGeer make, if I may be so bold as to suggest it—and I have just had the temerity to tell them both so personally during the last twenty-four hours—is the mistake that they make in assuming that because the fundamentals are clear in their minds they must be clear in the minds of the public. It is practically certain that while genuine credit is being used, the public will be confused about the whole business, and until you understand these simple fundamentals the proposals of men like Major Douglas, Mr. McGeer and Mr. Pattullo mean less than nothing. They are likely to mean utter confusion and a shaking of your whole faith in reform, in politics and in economics generally.

## ENLIGHTENMENT

**WHY I SHOULD BE** discussing such a subject at a time like this, I haven't the slightest idea. We are in the Rockies now, at the base of Mount Robson, with its queer parallel stripes of snow, racing through some of the finest scenery in the world. But you can't live on scenery. Whether you like it or not, you can't live in a civilized state without economics. So, absurd as it seems, I am pottering away on a dinky little portable typewriter in the hope of illuminating, to some extent, the abysmal darkness of your economic mind.

The first notion to get hold of in trying to understand the monetary question that is bubbling up in every corner of the world to-day is that real money of actual value has just about passed out of the picture. We don't use it any more except to pay foreign debts and to carry in small change to buy cigarettes.

If you will just get your mind around this one basic fact, at the start, you will begin to understand what men like Mr. Pattullo and Mr. McGeer and Major Douglas are driving at, namely, that in Canada the government has roughly \$75,000,000 worth of gold and about \$200,000,000 worth of money in actual currency. But the bank deposits of the country, when I last saw the figures, were some \$2,000,000,000—ten times as large as the total supply of money. And yet those deposits are constantly being loaned out, are transferred from one person to another by cheque, are money in every sense, though they are not money of actual value.

## OBVIOUS

**THIS IS AN OBVIOUS FACT**—this fact that our business is done to-day, our goods transferred, not with the use of money based on gold but by the use of credit based on nothing but confidence. I sell you an automobile. You pay me with a cheque. I deposit the cheque and then I issue another cheque to pay my grocery bill. At no point did we use money—only bookkeeping. Yet, obvious as the fact should be, obvious as the economists consider it, the public hasn't grasped it yet.

If it is not based on gold, what is this "money" or credit based on? Just exactly what, all money, all mediums of exchange ought to be based on—the production of wealth, the consumption of wealth and the performance of services. That vast reservoir of wealth which consists of nothing but bookkeeping entries in bank ledgers, which is not redeemable in gold, which is not covered by currency, is based on something much sounder, much more important. It is based on the assumption, for example, that a factory will produce a certain number of shoes in a year; that I will produce so many newspaper columns, that you, the public, will consume so many shoes and read so many columns. It is simply the bookkeeping entry by which I exchange my newspaper columns for shoes.

## EXCHANGE

**YOU ASK, THEN, IF** that is the system and it is working, what are these fellows trying to change it for? If we are actually using credit instead of money to exchange goods, what's wrong? Well, these fellows say that the credit system has been built up and perfected and proved to be feasible, that the old system of using gold for a medium of exchange has entirely disappeared, but the new system, operated by a few individuals for their own advantage, is not being used intelligently for the public good. It is being used for profit, not to facilitate the exchange of commodities. Hence you have the precarious situation of people starving because there is too much food in the world—food which somehow cannot be exchanged for goods or services because the medium of exchange isn't working.

Therefore, they say, the control of credit should be the first and most obvious duty of the state since now, as the primary function of government is economic, not political. What difference, you ask, would that make? Major Douglas, with an elaborate system of mechanics and involved formulae, which would only confuse you, proposes to hand out to every person his share of the national credit every year, as gauged by the amount of wealth produced. Mr. McGeer thinks he has a better scheme, and, after he would simply allow the national government to establish a bank and in this bank it would write down in a ledger the fact that the government had a credit of, say, \$5,000,000,000. Immediately this was done under the authority of the law, the government would have \$5,000,000,000 just as surely, just as soundly as it has any money now, for our modern money is simply a creation of law and has no essential value itself.

Having set up this credit, the government would proceed to spend it on vast undertakings of public works to put our people to work, which in turn would create purchasing power, which in turn would set our industry going.

## INFLATION

**THAT SOUNDS FINE**, you say, but doesn't that mean uncontrolled inflation, a huge rise in prices, the wiping out of all values? Not at all. If prices started to go up too high, if the so-called "money" began to lose its value, Mr. McGeer would pull back the credits into the bank by taxation. Thus, if at any moment the central bank found that, say, two billions of its central credit supply was being hoarded by a few people, wasn't being turned over, it would levy two billions of taxation on income or sales, drag the "money" back into the bank and spend it again, pulling it out of hiding, forcing it into circulation to compel the exchange of goods and services.

It would do the same thing if it became apparent that it had issued too much credit in proportion to the business turnover of the country. In other words, it would keep its circulation of credit proportionate to the exchange of goods and services and increase this exchange as rapidly as proved feasible. Whereas at present, of course, credit is pumped into business or drained out of it without the least regard for the ultimate good of society. Thus, without ever altering your currency you can have the wildest inflations under the existing arrangements, the inflation of bank credits, as you had in 1929, or the most disastrous deflations, as you have had ever since 1929.

That, of course, is Mr. McGeer's answer to the objection that a central government bank cannot be trusted to control the economic system through the handling of credit, that the whole thing would get out of control. Mr. McGeer's answer is that it is out of control now, or rather, in all civilized countries except Russia and Japan it is controlled by a few fellows who do, what they like, about it.

Russia, which grasped this idea early in the revolution, built up an internal medium of exchange which made possible the most remarkable programme of development and construction in the history of the world. Incidentally, against countries with such a mechanism of internal exchange, the other nations will have

## SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark



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I fear that, switching through these mountains, I haven't made much of a job of enlightening your mind, but maybe you see that there may be something in these new notions after all. If you once get the idea that money should be only a symbol of goods or services that it only real and proper function is to cover the exchange of these things as a kind of contract between buyer and seller, then you will have made a start.

**THE RHYMING OPTIMIST**  
 By ALINE MICHAELIS

**CHILDHOOD SONGS**  
 "Kind Little Lullaby, let down your hair,  
 That I may climb instead of a stair.  
 Ah, when was ever song so fair  
 As the fairy-tale song of old,  
 Ah, when was canzonet so lay  
 As madly, magically gay  
 As those blithe tunes of yesterday,  
 With life a tale untold!"

"Three men went out in a boat to sea,  
 In a boat as small as a boat could be,  
 How we loved it all, at our mother's knee,  
 How we loved it all, at our mother's knee,  
 'O, mirror, mirror in my hand,  
 Who is the loveliest in the land?'  
 With a thrill no grown-up can understand  
 Rang the jingles of childhood time.  
 Obliterating care and pain,  
 Again we lean by our mother's side  
 And know the gladness so long denied,  
 While joy returns in a swelling tide  
 With the best-loved songs of earth."

## Other People's Views

**APPRECIATION**  
 "To the Editor:—After the death of my wife, the city sent me to the Menzies Nursing Home and I have to thank them for that. The superintendent and the matron cannot do enough to make me comfortable and happy. I may say that is the best I have ever been treated in my life, so if anybody should need a nursing home, they could not get a better home than the Menzies Nursing Home. I also have to thank the Army and Navy Veterans of Canada and also Dr. Harold Moore for doing all they can to ease my suffering, and also to my three daughters for seeing that their old father does not want for anything, but most of all I have to thank the good Lord for letting me end my last days in comfort and happiness."

ROBERT C. AMORSEN,  
 130 Menzies Street, City.

**FOUL BAY**  
 "To the Editor:—I notice that the Foul Bay Community Association has been passing resolutions, and that Foul Bay people are again trying to get the name of their bay changed to something less smelly. Little success has attended previous efforts. There is a board away back in Ottawa that rules with a mighty hand in these matters, and that thinks we all Siwash on this coast. They must take our medicine. The guide on all the sightseeing buses tell their passengers that the bay is clean in spite of its name, so why should the residents kick? If action is wanted, get British Columbia's premier interested and there will at least be signs of a fight before he quits. He lives not far from the bay and must know the local feeling and how justified it is."

NATIVE SON,  
 Victoria, April 23.

**THE ONLY WAY**  
 "To the Editor:—Does the world realize the pregnant meaning of the words recently spoken by Rt. Rev. J. A. Richardson, Bishop of Fredericton, to his synod? He said: 'It is my firm conviction that any

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Sliced Jellied Tongue, lb., 30c; Roast Beef, lb., 30c

Cottage Cheese, lb., 15c; Wieners, lb., 22c

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T-bone	20c	Sirloin Tip	14c	Tripe	10c
Sirloin	20c	Lamb	20c-13c	Suet	5c
Veal	14c	Pork	16c-13c	Breasts Veal	8c
Pork	15c	Veal	20c-13c		

Oxford Sausage, Minced Steak, Stew Beef, 2 lbs., 15c

SERVICE MEATS—DELIVERED

Veal Cutlets, lb., 23c; Breasts Veal, lb., 9c

Beef Liver, lb., 13c; Lamb Liver, lb., 18c

Centre Shanks, lb., 8c; Centre Plate Beef, lb., 8c

Calf Liver, lb., 35c; Round Steak, lb., 18c

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Aylmer Sieve 4 Peas, tin, 10c

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Heinz Vinegar, 16-oz. bottle, 15c

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## Nanaimo Musical Festival Opens

Seventh Annual Event Draws Large Crowd to Pigmy Pavilion; Performance of Competitors Draws Favorable Comment of Adjudicators

Special to The Victoria Times.  
Nanaimo, April 25.—The morning session of the seventh annual Upper Island Musical Festival, held in the Pigmy Pavilion, drew a large crowd. Junior competitions were held in elocution, vocal solo, vocal trios and piano duets. The competitors were very keen and well coached. The adjudicators remarked upon the excellent performance of the competitors in the various classes. Nanaimo competitors were very successful, winning three out of four competitions.

Ellen Silver and Thora Walker, Port Alberni, gained 80 marks to win the piano duet under fourteen years. Howard Nicholson, Nanaimo, won the boys' under thirteen years elocution contest with eighty-one marks. The vocal trio for girls under nineteen years was won by a Nanaimo trio composed of Katie Manson, Marjorie Chappell and Kathleen Johnson, with eighty-two marks. Eddie McGlenon, Nanaimo, boy vocalist, gained eighty-three marks to win the boys' vocal solo. In the elocution preliminary Dorothy Lane, Miss Dunmore and Diana Palmer, all of Nanaimo, were selected to compete in the final. To-night Dr. Ernest MacMillan, principal of the Toronto Conservatory of Music, is adjudicator for the musical classes and Professor F. G. C. Wood of the University of British Columbia for the elocution contests.

## Expect Revision Of Federal Gold Levy

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from gold mines, however it is applied.

**ONTARIO PROTEST**  
Toronto, April 25.—Steps to enlist the support of the gold producing provinces in their campaign against the Dominion Government's 10 per cent gold tax were taken at a conference of gold producers here yesterday. The conference passed a resolution unanimously recording "its unalterable opposition" to the proposed tax.

The resolution was forwarded to Prime Minister Bennett, Hon. E. N. Rhodes, Minister of Finance, and Hon. Wesley Gordon, Minister of Mines. Another resolution passed was forwarded to the Premier and Ministers of Mines of British Columbia, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Quebec.

## Personalities Of Economic Council

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James O. Nicholls, a practical coal miner of Nanaimo, presenting a labor viewpoint based on considerable experience with trade union work in Yorkshire, England.

P. E. French, Vernon agriculturist, graduate of Ontario Agricultural College, practical experience in cattle raising, fruit farming and hog raising; well acquainted with both growing and marketing problems of the industry.

J. H. Lawson, Vancouver barrister, has been legal adviser for many leading industrial concerns and has intimate knowledge of the internal workings, especially the public and paper industry. Definite acquaintance with corporations and business activity in general.

Dr. H. G. Winch of Hazelton, B.C., a pioneer medical missionary of the central part of the province. Familiar with the resources and problems of the north country. Practical political experience through nine years in the Legislature.

## B.C. ARGUMENT ON GOLD TAX

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It is claimed the provincial government, which has spent large sums of money through its department of mines in building up the whole industry, should have the benefit of any taxation revenue accruing from it.

In respect of the second point, there are many small gold operations in British Columbia which are now working simply because the world price of gold is nearly 75 per cent higher than it used to be. They could not operate on the old price of \$20.67 an ounce, but at \$34 or \$35 an ounce, can be profitably worked. The higher the price of gold goes the more of these small properties can be put into production. Some were abandoned years ago; others are new developments. The 10 per cent tax, however, is liable to wipe out just the small margin of profit they can make.

Behind the whole protest is the argument that opening of mines puts men to work and employment is what B.C. needs most at this time. Because the tax may cause some of the small operations to shut down, it would be better applied as an excess profits levy and this would preserve the revenue while preserving the industry.

**Canadian Press**  
Fredericton, N.B., April 25.—Fifteen men on their way to work in the Grand Lake coalfield were attacked by 100 strikers armed with clubs as violence flared in the strike of employees of the Minto Coal Company to-day.

Three non-strikers were injured about the heads as strikers brought clubs into play. They were William Pitt, Edward Casey and Fred Blackler.

Corporal R. Love and Constable J. Thivier of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police came running as the alarm was sounded and the strikers dispersed. Ring leaders of the mob were being sought.

## New All-Canadian Cigarettes Wanted

Planter, Assures Commons Committee That It How to Solve Ontario Growers' Difficulties.

Ottawa, April 25.—An all-Canadian cigarette is the solution of the difficulties now confronting Canadian tobacco growers, in the opinion of W. S. Kingston, operator of a large plantation in the Norfolk-Elgin area of Ontario. Appearing before the Commons committee of the Commons on mass buying and price spreads to-day, Mr. Kingston said such a cigarette would increase the demand for Canadian tobacco.

Prof. Archibald Leitch, who also operates large plantations in the same area, placed the blame for overproduction of tobacco on the shoulders of the Imperial Tobacco Company of Canada.

For years prior to 1930, the professor declared, the company had urged Canadian growers of the danger of over-production. He said, and elicited the reply from an official: "What are you kicking about, you're getting a fair price for your tobacco."

The Imperial Company had evaded the responsibility for a situation it had created itself, when the tobacco grown exceeded the requirements, he said.

## SAFE BLOWN AT NANAIMO

Farmers' Creamery Office Entered at Midnight; Small Sum of Money Taken

Thieves who entered the offices of the Farmers' Co-operative Creamery in Nanaimo yesterday evening blew the safe and escaped with a small sum of money, according to a report filed with the provincial police to-day.

The robbery is believed to have taken place about midnight and from appearances was the work of experts. Entrance was gained by breaking a door in the rear of the building.

Police to-day were investigating a clue regarding a car which may have been used in the robbery, but no definite lead was given.

## Market Bill Changes Urged

Hon. W. R. Motherwell Tells Commons Measure As Drafted Is Too Wide

Ottawa, April 25.—The Commons debate on the controversial government Marketing Bill, in the debate yesterday Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Liberal, Melville, former Minister of Agriculture, was the outstanding speaker. The veteran prairie member said he would support second reading of the bill, but so to the House agricultural committee, where objectionable features could be removed. The bill was a mixture of good, bad and indifferent features and it was his objective to retain the good and discard the bad.

"I have many reservations regarding the features of this bill," said the former Cabinet minister, "and I must say that unless some of them are eliminated during committee stage, I shall be obliged to vote against the bill in committee stage and on third reading. But if these objectionable features are eliminated or substantially removed, if the bill is expurgated of these bad features, I shall continue to support it through to the end."

**AMENDMENT RULED OUT**  
Once again the House yesterday devoted a full day to debate on the Marketing Bill. The first hour and a half, however, was consumed in discussion of whether an amendment to second reading, moved last week by Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, was in order. Speaker Black finally ruled it out and was upheld in the ensuing vote, 103 to 52.

The King amendment would have placed the House on record as favoring marketing legislation but opposed to any compulsory measure which delegates to unrepresentative groups or organizations sweeping powers over production and trade. It was ruled out of order for transgressing a rule of debate.

The division was along party lines with Conservatives supporting the Speaker with the assistance of all but one of the Progressives. Voting with the Liberals in opposition was George Coote, United Farmer member for Macleod, Alberta.

**FARMERS' DIFFICULTIES**  
Mr. Motherwell said the Canadian agricultural industry was in a sorry plight. "In fact things are so bad I believe I would work through Beezlebub himself if necessary."

Among the features which he hoped the government would remove in the committee stage was the sweeping scope of the bill. "Safety first" cautioned the veteran parliamentarian, urging a start be made in marketing such commodities as milk products, bacon, honey, maple sugar and such other commodities as may be added from time to time by Parliament.

In addition, Mr. Motherwell suggested, as a measure of protection, a representative of the consuming public be placed on the Central Marketing Board. As a further protective feature, the ruling of the board should be made subject to the concurrence of Parliament, at least until it had demonstrated that it held the confidence of the people.

Mr. Motherwell said he regretted provisions for livestock processing were not included in the bill, as this would lead to the establishment in this country of a demonstration abattoir. The proper place for such an institution would be right in the livestock yard.

**FISHERIES INDUSTRY**  
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## Empire Conference Next Year Suggested

Proposal Defence and Economic Policies Be Considered at Gathering in London Discussed in Australia

London, April 25.—In a special dispatch from its Canberra correspondent, The London Times to-day said the suggestion had arisen during the visit of Rt. Hon. Stanley Bruce, Australian High Commissioner to the United Kingdom, that an imperial conference might be held next year in London to consider questions of defence and economic policy in the light of the Ottawa agreements.

The newspaper said feeling existed in Australia in view of an apparent standstill in disarmament negotiations and a decline in empire defence had created a situation of grave importance.

In an editorial on the same subject The Times expressed the opinion there was no reason why discussion of possible effects of the British decision to restrict agricultural imports through quotas or any other question should await any conference.

It pointed out Mr. Bruce will return to England next autumn via New Zealand and that Rt. Hon. Jan Christian Smuts, Minister of Justice of South Africa, is expected to arrive in England during October to deliver the Rectoria address at the University of St. Andrews. It would be comparatively easy matter for a Canadian statesman to come to England at the same time, it said.

## Glasgow Rangers Win League Title

Canadian Press  
Glasgow, April 25.—Glasgow Rangers completed the historic double to-day by adding the championship to the Scottish Football Association to the Scottish Cup they won last Saturday. Beating Falkirk 3 to 1, the Rangers won one point ahead of their nearest rivals, Motherwell, whose schedule is finished. The Rangers, who cannot be caught now, have two games yet to play.

## CABINET OF SPAIN QUILTS

Premier Lerroux Resigns; President May Ask Him to Form New Ministry

Madrid, April 25.—The government of Premier Alejandro Lerroux resigned to-day as a result of differences with President Nicetio Alcalá Zamora over Spain's new political amnesty law.

Despite the breach, well-informed circles said the President probably would recall Senor Lerroux and urge him to form another cabinet.

President Zamora, it was said, feels it will be impossible under present conditions for any government except one similar to the resigned ministry to rule.

The Lerroux cabinet was formed only last month, although recurrent strikes and disorders in many parts of the nation brought a grave situation throughout.

The political amnesty law, which went into effect to-day, finally was signed by the President only after the cabinet had threatened to resign unless he did so. But the president then dispatched to Congress a message expressing the disapproval of some provisions of the law.

The law, granting freedom to thousands of political prisoners, had remained on the President's desk for days while strikes and riots sounded sentiment for and against it.

ing, Mr. Motherwell said the government was trying to "grab the whole earth" by dealing with fisheries and all kinds of natural products.

Wheat control could be included in the bill, continued the former Agriculture Minister, but he cautioned the government against this. "If you start that you will put the fat in the fire for sure."

The proper way to frame the bill was to mention ten or twelve specific products such as milk, dairy products, maple sugar and honey, which might be added by Parliament, giving the marketing board control over them. This would leave Parliament with control over vast number of marketing schemes.

It would be necessary also, continued Mr. Motherwell, to give some protection to Canadian consumers when you turn loose a flood of goods with unprecedented powers. "It might be wisdom to appoint a business man with the interests of the consumers at heart, to the Central Marketing Board."

Michael Luchkovitch, U.P.A. Vegreville, took the Liberal Party to task for its opposition to the bill. He said, "In fact things are so bad I believe I would work through Beezlebub himself if necessary."

**FAN DANCER RESUMES TOUR**  
Canadian Press  
Vancouver, April 25.—Miss Mary Mit which will expire July 1. Waterton, Wis., but who has been on tour in western Canada as the fan dancer, Fay Baker, was free to-day to resume her dancing engagements on Vancouver Island.

The dancer and her brother-manager, C. W. Nebel, were released by Vancouver police yesterday evening when immigration officials found the couple had been properly entered into Canada and had an immigration permit. Nebel, twenty-four, whose home is in Miss Nebel was married March 31 in Calgary to Constable J. H. Leslie of the Regina detachment of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. His parents reside in Vancouver.

At the request of both parties, no public announcement of the marriage was made at the time.

## Japan Stands By "Hands Off China" Declaration

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**DARK SHADOW**  
Meanwhile the mailed fist of Japan cast a menacing shadow over the Far East to-day, black headlines and pointed editorial comment leaving the British newspaper readers no choice but to doubt a Japanese intention to found a great empire of the Orient.

All the way from die-hard Conservative to left wing Labor organs, principal newspapers were unanimous in agreeing something big was threatened, even if they were not agreed on what to do about it.

**HISTORY BEING CHANGED**  
Lord Beaverbrook's Daily Express said flatly "things which will change the course of history for centuries are happening before our eyes." The London Daily Telegraph called for an exact definition of Japan's purpose.

The London News-Chronicle, Liberal, called the new Japanese puppet-state Manchukuo "a startling illustration of how faithfully Japan has kept her pledge to maintain the independence of China," while The London Daily Herald, Labor, bitterly attacked the reported intention of the Japanese to treble their air fleet by 1936.

"Japan is neither specifically better nor worse than all the rest," said The Herald. "The Japanese budget is on the verge of starvation, but the Imperial Government can find money for war machines. Britain begrudges money for social services, but prepares to launch a parity programme."

The News-Chronicle, under the caption, "Japan's Mailed Fist," said: "The only fact to set against the picture of crushing the Far East under the iron heel of Japanese militarism is that the immediate result has been to bring British and American diplomacy, started by the shadow of their common danger, a little closer together."

The Express declared "Japan is laying the plans of a new world. She means to cast her mantle over all Asia."

The Japanese ultimatum essentially concerns the United States. Americans will resist Japanese pretensions, yet it is doubtful if they will make the resistance effective, as their country is too disorganized and the nation is too distracted.

**INTERPRETATIONS**  
Tokio, April 25.—Japan in effect told the world to-day to draw its own conclusions regarding her repeated policy toward China.

A Foreign Office spokesman said: "Our statement has been made. Let others read it as they will."

Japan claimed responsibility in the declaration for maintenance of the peace in eastern Asia, warning other powers not to threaten tranquility by activities in China.

The spokesman also refused to comment on references to "Asia for Asiatics" in an enunciation of Japanese policy by the Japanese consul-general at Geneva, Masayuki Yokoyama.

However, he did reiterate Japan has no intention of interfering with European and American powers in their Asiatic possessions.

**WELFARE WORK**  
Geneva, April 25.—Japan in the costume of a social welfare worker—not in the grim garb of the warrior—is the picture drawn by Masayuki Yokoyama, Japanese consul-general here.

Elaborating on his previous enunciation of Japan's policy of "Asia for Asiatics" and of opposition to foreign meddling in Chinese affairs, the youthful envoy expressed regret other powers should see Japan as planning the conquest of eastern Asia.

"We do not want to drive away foreign peoples from the Far East," he said. "We intend to respect treaties."

**U.S. DOLLAR GAINS IN LONDON**  
London, April 25 (Associated Press).—The United States dollar strengthened ½ cent to the pound sterling here to-day and closed at \$5.14½. The price of gold declined 4½ pence to 135 shillings 6½ pence (\$20.90), at which price an amount valued at \$293,000 (\$2,023,950) was purchased.

## Italian Arms Plan Offered as Solution

Advisory Council Becomes Clearing House For Ideas

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penditure through the Canadian Central Bank.

**ADVISORY CAPACITY**  
From these alone, it will be seen the surveys of the council will extend to a wide field. Acting in an advisory capacity, it will suggest to the government which of these schemes might be launched with a possibility of success and which are not feasible. The government, of course, must define the policies.

In connection with the agricultural problem the council officers have had several "back-to-the-land" projects submitted, combined with reforestation schemes for putting unemployed back to work, and for a basis of sounder development in the farming industry for the future. Special attention to the poultry industry is requested.

Directly for the creation of unemployment the council has for study a score of proposals headed by a building and loan programme financed by government loans. Completion of the P.E.R. Railway is another; land settlement for single men; establishment of a relief settlement near Campbell River, and a variety of other work-producing projects.

**TRADE PROPOSALS**  
Among the ideas for developing foreign trade for B.C. products, the council will have the entire world in its scope. Some of the immediate proposals are the appointment of a trade commissioner in British Guiana, which has been making repeated application for B.C. goods; a reciprocal trade arrangement between Italy and British Columbia, and merchandising exhibits and advertising of B.C. products in the Orient, combined with a planned tour of B.C. by Oriental merchants.

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The council staff has already made special studies of the lumbering industry, fruit marketing and the dairy problem in the Fraser Valley, and is applying attention also to the effect of tariffs on industry and trade of the province.

After Talks in London, Rome Delegate Says Mussolini Scheme Is Only Hope of Disarmament Settlement

Canadian Press and Associated Press  
London, April 25.—Fulvio Svelich, Italian Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, concluded three days of talks with British government heads to-night with the statement he was convinced the only hope for a settlement of the disarmament controversy is the Italian plan for limitation of armaments at their present levels and the partial rearmament of Germany.

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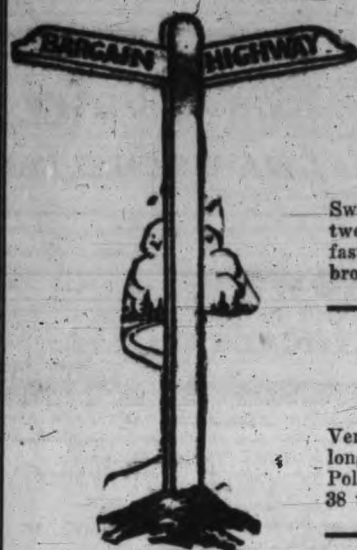
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Smart new styles in Summer Shoes—White Kid Pumps and Ties, perforated and plain styles, Cuban and spike heels. Also White Buck Ties, with low covered heels. All fittings.

### 240 Pairs of High-grade Summer Shoes

Buck Sandals in white, grey or beige—Beige Kid Ties and Sandals—White and Black Sandals—White Kid Ties. Values to \$6.00. Thursday, a pair ..... **\$2.95**

—Bargain Highway, Lower Main Floor

### Girls' Vests and Bloomers

On the Bargain Highway ..... **29c**

Summer-weight Bloomers with silk stripes; rib and elastic-knit styles; pink or white. Sizes for 2 to 14 years. Cotton Vests in built-up shoulder style, with tape at neck, for 2 to 14 years.



### Women's Swagger Suits

On the Bargain Highway

**\$9.95**

New styles and smart designs, tweed mixtures and plain materials, three-quarter length Coats with new scarf tie and side fastenings effects; well lined. Shades are blue, grey and brown. Sizes 14 to 18 and 42.

—Bargain Highway

### Women's Polo and Tailored Tweed Coats

**\$9.95**

Smart tailored and dressy Coats of imported tweeds, well lined. Shades include grey, eggshell, fawn and brown. Sizes 14 to 44.

—Bargain Highway

### Women's House Frocks \$1.00

Very Special, Each

Organdie-trimmed Check Dresses of tubfast materials, flared skirt and ties at waist. Shades of red, blue, brown, black, white and green checks. Sizes 14 to 20.

—Bargain Highway

### Women's Rayon Nightgowns 59c

Regular \$1.00, For

Gowns in pastel shades with contrasting trim, finished with lace appliqued medallions. Shades of tea rose, Nile, pink and peach. Medium and large sizes.

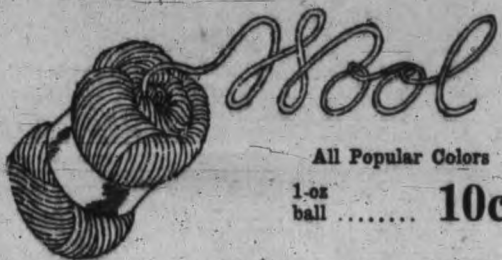
—Bargain Highway

Peccary Gardening Gloves with knitted wrist. Sizes for men and women. Per pair ..... **35¢**

Men's Moleskin Work Pants, well made and finished with cuff bottoms, belt loops and five pockets, grey with pin stripes. Sizes 32 to 44. .... **\$1.50**

—Bargain Highway

### A Great Sale of 2-ply Wool



All Popular Colors

1-oz ball ..... **10c**

A special purchase makes this great event possible. Fine summer-weight Wool, two ply, suitable for women's sweaters and dresses and all children's garments. In all popular shades. Special, per ball ..... **10c**

—Needlework, First Floor

### WOMEN'S FRENCH KID GLOVES

Regular \$1.95. On Sale Thursday, ..... **50c**

If you wear these smaller sizes you're in luck! But sizes 5½ and 6 only! "Trefousse" French Kid Gloves, wrist-length style with two-dome clasp, fancy chain-stitched points. Black only.

—Gloves, Main Floor

CREPE DE CHINE

### Lingerie

Specialty Priced ..... **\$1.59**

Crepe de Chine Princess Slips in lace-trimmed or tailored styles. White, pink and tea rose. Sizes 32 to 44. Bias cut and a good length. Special at ..... **\$1.59**

Crepe de Chine Teddies with adjustable shoulder straps. Dainty lace-trimmed styles. Small, medium and large sizes. Each ..... **\$1.59**

—Underwear, First Floor



### Rayon Lingerie

Outstanding Values Thursday!

Rayon Silk Teddies in dainty lace-trimmed designs. Pastel tones and all sizes. Each ..... **\$1.00**  
Harvey's Runproof Rayon Underwear, Vests, Bloomers and Panties. White, pink, peach, green and fawn. All sizes. A garment ..... **59¢**

—Underwear, First Floor



900 PAIRS OF

### Heavy Service-weight Silk Hose

Regular \$1.50 Values, ..... **89c**

Per pair

Women's heavy service-weight Silk Hose—substandards of a well-known make. These are extremely durable and a good looking fine-gauge silk. Shown with lisle garter hem, double silk top or two-way stretch top. A good selection of shades and all sizes. Special, per pair, **89¢**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

### 1,000 PAIRS OF Semi-service-weight Silk Hose

Regular 79c a pair ..... **59c**

On sale at

Women's semi-service-weight Silk Hose—substandards of a reliable, full-fashioned make, with no flaws to interfere with appearance or wearing qualities. Shown in a good range of fashionable shades. All sizes. Special ..... **59¢**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

### Bedspreads

Rayon Silk Bedspreads in white only. Size 80x100 inches. Each ..... **\$1.50**  
White Krinklette Bedspreads, size 72x90 inches. Each ..... **\$1.50**

—Staples, Main Floor

### Linens

On Sale Thursday  
India-printed Bridge Cloths, size 36x36 inches. Each ..... **\$1.00**  
Blue and white Printed Cloths of Jap crepe. Size 54x54 inches. Each, **50¢**  
Oyster Linen Cloths with colored borders. Size 52x68 inches. Each, at ..... **\$1.00**  
Quilted Plate Protectors, round shape, each ..... **5¢**

—Staples, Main Floor

### Pillow Cases

Unbleached Pillow Cases in medium weight. Each, at ..... **15¢**  
Unbleached Pillow Cases of extra sturdy quality. Each ..... **25¢**

—Staples, Main Floor

### 600 PAIRS OF CHILDREN'S PURE WOOL GOLF HOSE

Regular \$1.00 ..... **79c**

Per pair

Golf Hose in good looking marl mixture with smart two-tone fancy cuffs. Pure wool and flat-knit effect. In shades of grey, fawn and blue heather. Sizes 6 to 8½.

Children's Hose, Main Floor

### A Full Range of Hammock Couches

Hammock Couches, complete with stand and canopy, upholstered in striped awning ..... **\$29.90**  
Hammock Couches, complete with stand and canopy, with upholstered back and fitted headrest, covered with fine quality painted awning, ..... **\$42.00**

—Draperies, Second Floor

### Lamp Shades

10-inch Parchment Lamp Shades, strong in construction and a choice of patterns and colors. Each ..... **38c**  
8-inch Parchment Shades, in various colors and patterns. Each ..... **28c**  
Each 6½-inch Shades, in many very attractive designs. Each ..... **18c**  
Silk Shades, 8 inches in diameter, very pretty and in assorted colors. Special value. Each ..... **45c**  
Cellon Shades, in assorted colors. Very neat and attractive. Each ..... **98c**  
Fluted Parchment Shades, for beds. Very attractive and strong. Each ..... **\$1.25**

—Electrical, Lower Main Floor



### Outstanding Values in

## BLANKETS and COMFORTERS

Down-filled Comforters, all silk or satin faced. Values to \$22.50. On sale at ..... **\$11.95**  
Wool-filled Comforters, in floral sateen covers, with plain color contrasting panels. Special, each ..... **\$3.00**  
Children's cot-size cotton-filled Comforters, each, **75¢**  
Pure Wool Blankets in Saxe blue only. Size 60x80 inches. Each ..... **\$2.00**  
Grey Part-wool Blankets, size 56x76 inches, each, at ..... **\$1.50**

—Staples, Main Floor

### Cushions and Pillows

ON SALE THURSDAY

Odd Cushions in neat coverings. Small size only. Each ..... **10¢**  
Full-size Cushions in neat print coverings. Each, **20¢**  
Cretonne-covered Cushions in round and square shapes. Ideal for the veranda. Each ..... **50¢**  
Mixed feather-filled Bed Pillows, with art ticking covering. Each ..... **50¢**

—Staples, Main Floor

### Sale of Tinware

Regular, Each, 20¢—Your Choice for 13¢

Or Two for ..... **25¢**

The selection includes the following—Plain and Fluted Angel Cake Tins, Retinned Cups—6 and 8-cup Muffin Tins, Four-sided Combination Graters, Deep Pie Tins, Cake Tins in different shapes and sizes, Bread Tins in different sizes, Wash Basins and Pudding Pans. No. 8 Cast Iron Fry Pans, each ..... **63¢**  
4-cup Aluminum Measuring Saucepans. Regular, each, 50¢, for ..... **25¢**  
Black Japanned Candlesticks, each ..... **13¢**  
Rolling Pins with colored handles ..... **23¢**

—Bargain Highway, Lower Main Floor

### Prepare for Fly-time With Screen Doors and Windows

Screen Doors, made to our specifications, with black wire; all sizes. Each ..... **\$2.35**  
The same style door with galvanized wire; all sizes. Each ..... **\$2.65**  
Fittings for doors, extra for ..... **35¢**  
Fancy Varnished Screen Doors, all sizes ..... **\$3.50**

Extra heavy Varnished Doors with panelled base; all sizes. Each ..... **\$5.00**  
Heavy Varnished Doors with galvanized wire, 2.8x6.8 only. Regular \$5.00. Extra special ..... **\$3.49**  
Window Screens, all depths and lengths. Priced from **35¢** to ..... **75¢**  
Black Wire Screen from 18 to 42 inches. Priced from, a yard, **18¢** to ..... **42¢**  
Galvanized Wire Screen, from 24 to 36 inches, a yard, **36¢** to ..... **54¢**  
Meat Safes in three sizes, **\$1.95**, **\$2.50** and **\$3.45**  
Collapsible Net Dish Covers, **15¢** to ..... **25¢**

—Hardware, Lower Main Floor

### Excellent Values in the Chinaware Section

52-piece Chintz Dinner Set. A great value, **\$10.00**  
The set has all-over glaze chintz pattern in blue, very attractive and suitable for any occasion.

Lemonade Set of 7 pieces—jug and six tumblers to match; clear crystal. A set ..... **79¢**  
Cut Crystal Bowls, large size, each ..... **\$5.00**  
Jug Sets of Ming blue—½-pint, 1-pint and 1½-pint sizes. The set for ..... **\$1.00**

Tea or Salad Plates of decorated English bone china, each ..... **39¢**  
Sets of 8 for ..... **\$1.00**

Refrigerator Sets—3 jars with covers—neatly decorated. A set ..... **59¢**

—Chinaware, Lower Main Floor

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or three-piece styles in fabrics of  
English tweeds or Irish donegals.  
All smartly tailored styles  
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708 VIEW STREET

Musical Arts Reviews  
Work For CommunityConcerts Deserve Wider  
Public Support, Says Mrs.  
W. A. Jameson, President  
Younger Music Students Encouraged; Scholarship  
Fund Is GrowingThe encouragement given to  
younger music students of the  
city was one of the outstanding  
and progressive features of the  
Victoria Musical Arts' accom-  
plishments during the last year,  
as recorded in comprehensive  
reports presented at the annual  
meeting in the Shrine Auditorium  
yesterday evening. Mrs. W. A. Jameson, the president,  
was in the chair, and in her address emphasized the need of  
wider support from the whole  
community in the association's  
endeavors to provide the best  
in music and the allied arts  
at a nominal cost.

## NEW EXECUTIVE

The new executive chosen includes:  
Mrs. J. O. Cameron, Mrs. C. S. Beale,  
Mrs. S. M. Morton, Dudley Wickham,  
and Edgar Holloway (for three years);  
Mrs. Dorothy Parsons (for two years);  
and Reginald Cox (one year). The  
remaining eight members who continue  
in office are: Mrs. W. A. Jameson,  
Mrs. Walter McKelving, Mrs. Herbert  
Endrey, Mrs. C. H. French, Miss Violet  
Wilson, Mrs. Harold Campbell,  
Mrs. Eva Baird and P. L. Tupper.  
The following officers automatically  
retired last night: President, Mrs.  
A. Jameson; secretary, Mrs. S. M.Send Your  
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FREE GAS  
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GAS DEPARTMENTH. Godson, treasurer, Mrs. Joseph  
Rose, special votes of thanks were  
accorded each for their services to  
the club, a particular tribute being  
paid to the retiring president, Mrs.  
Jameson, on motion of Mrs. Eva  
Baird, seconded by Edward Parsons.  
PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS  
Mrs. Jameson reviewed the work of  
the past year, and offered some sug-  
gestions for the more effective opera-  
tion of the club in the future. With  
the exception of the Musical Festival  
Association and the Victoria Musical  
Arts, all the other musical and art  
organizations of the city were con-  
fined to groups with somewhat limited  
membership and limited appeal. The  
Musical Arts embraced choral and  
drama groups, operatic, chamber  
music, orchestral and various other  
study groups, all dependent for their  
success on interested and intelligent  
audiences. Almost every night  
throughout the season the society of-  
fered concerts and entertainments of  
some kind. The audiences were not  
so large as they should be, consid-  
ering the quality of the programmes  
presented and the work entailed in  
their preparation. The reason, it was  
suggested, was the lack of interest  
in music, except with a small part  
of the population.Mrs. Jameson also touched on the  
scholarship fund part of the club  
work. This, she subsequently announced  
as amounting to \$400 already in-  
vested in the sinking fund, plus  
\$12.80 cash in hand. The fund was  
steadily and additions would be wel-  
comed.YOUNG STUDENTS  
ENCOURAGEDMrs. Jameson extolled the work of  
the society among the younger musical  
people of the city, pointing with  
pride to the success of the junior,  
intermediate and juvenile branches of  
the club. She praised the fine work  
of Mrs. Charles French and Mrs.  
Archibald in connection with the  
juveniles, and to Edward Parsons and  
the intermediates. Miss Nellie Scott-  
croft was also specially thanked for  
her assistance with the intermediates.  
Christmas play, given for the juven-  
iles, Miss Helen Winn was doing good  
work as convener of the junior  
branch, and the parent society had  
been fortunate in having as pro-  
gramme convener Mrs. Harold Camp-  
bell and Miss Violet Wilson.Thanks were expressed to the nu-  
merous artists who had assisted the  
club during the year; to the many  
others who had helped in different  
ways, with special reference to the  
"unfailing generosity" of the hono-  
rary president, Mrs. J. O. Cameron,  
particularly to the various junior  
branches, and to the retiring secre-  
tary and treasurer, Mrs. Godson  
and Mrs. Rose.Mrs. W. E. H. Godson, the secretary,  
in her annual report noted the total  
membership of the society as 376, in-  
cluding 282 seniors, forty-six juniors,  
twenty-five intermediates and forty-  
seven juveniles. Up to date this ses-  
sion the club had held thirteen pro-  
grammes, seven in the evening and  
six in the afternoon. These included  
two professional programmes, one by  
local professionals.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Mrs. Rose, in her audited state-  
ment of the finances, showed that  
receipts during the year included:  
Membership fees, \$646.75; proceeds  
from concerts, \$27.50; scholarship  
fund donations, \$27.25, which, to-  
gether with the balance brought overfrom last year, \$287.05, and interest  
and dividends amounting to \$33.90,  
brought the total receipts for the  
year to \$1,111.45.Disbursements included: Rent of  
hall, \$308; advertising, printing of  
programmes and stationery, \$253.42;  
professional fees, \$200.25; flowers,  
\$24.50; sundries, \$116.61, leaving a  
balance in the bank of \$39.70 in the  
general fund.

## MUSICAL PROGRAMME

The business meeting was preceded  
by a delightful programme which in-  
cluded an excellent performance of  
Grieg's A minor concerto for two  
pianos by Mrs. C. S. Beale and Mrs.  
John Godson; the Schmitt "Serenade"  
and Tolhurst's "Intermezzo" and  
"Graceful Dance," played by the  
talented Victoria High School string  
quartette, comprising Fay Ockenden,  
Kathleen Seale, Leslie Jordan and  
John Pimm, with Miss Phyllis Dil-  
worth at the piano, and a group of  
songs by Mrs. Evelyn Drake,  
"Romance" (Debussy), "Chanson  
Triste" (Duparc) and "Papillons  
Chaussons," Sheila Conway being the  
able accompanist.Sister  
MARY'S  
KITCHENWITH TOAST AS THE FRAMEWORK,  
ORDINARY DISHES ARE MADE  
INTERESTING AND ATTRACTIVE

By MARY E. DAGUE

Many home-makers find the family  
luncheon particularly difficult in  
spring-time. Every minute of a spring  
morning is precious. What  
gardening and the lure of outdoors  
no one wants to spend time fussing  
over food. Languid appetites, how-  
ever, must be tempted. New vegeta-  
bles are still too expensive to be  
used in large quantities. A small  
amount of meat is not desirable, so  
it's up to the housewife to find some  
way of presenting old friends in new  
and interesting guise.Toast is one answer to the problem.  
When toast forms the framework,  
many trite foods become interesting  
and satisfactory to an entire family.  
A toasted sandwich, a glass of milk  
and fresh or stewed fruit make an  
ideal luncheon for either children or  
adults. Such a meal takes but little  
time to prepare and is nourishing  
and attractive.

## MEAT-VEGETABLE SANDWICHES

Very often meat can be combined  
with vegetables to make hearty sand-  
wiches. Some of these combinations  
make a salad unnecessary, while  
others demand a crisp salad of some  
sort to complete the meal.The open sandwich furnishes an  
excellent means for serving delicate  
spring vegetables in their own juice.  
The toast absorbs the moisture cling-  
ing to the vegetable and also acts as a  
"stretchers."Creamed meats, fish or vegetables  
are wholesome "fillings" for open-  
closed sandwiches. Here again meats  
and vegetables can be combined to  
good advantage from the standpoint  
of food value as well as economy and  
time. Such sandwiches simplify serv-  
ing and save dish washing.Toasted sandwiches are very ac-  
ceptable for breakfast, too, and the  
novelty of them makes it possible to  
serve nourishing food so it will be  
well received by everybody.

## BREAKFAST SANDWICH

An excellent breakfast sandwich  
combines toast, spinach and poached  
egg. Spinach is a particularly happy  
choice for breakfast, because it cooks

## LEAVES FOR GREAT BRITAIN

News of  
ClubwomenTo Present Pagan-Lodge Primrose  
Choir, Daughters of England, will  
entertain the members and friends  
with a pageant and dance after their  
meeting of lodge Friday, April 27.  
The pageant is in charge of Mrs.  
Chappell and Mrs. Baron and mem-  
bers of the choir are taking the parts  
of women of history. Tickets may be  
had from any member of choir.Women of the Moose—The social  
night of Victoria Chapter No. 25,  
Women of the Moose, was held in the  
St. Ann's Hall on Monday, with Sen-  
ior Regent, Mrs. Alice Hatcher, re-  
ported that Miss Dolores Gualpa is  
improving but still confined to hos-  
pital; Mrs. Elizabeth Jane and Mrs.  
Carrie Drysdale were reported well.  
A splendid report was given by the  
social convener, Mrs. Castle Spouse,  
on the recent card party and a vote  
of thanks was given to Mrs. Mary  
Pearce and Mrs. T. Alexander who  
acted as hostesses. The members are  
again reminded to get their tickets  
for the banquet to be held in the  
Douglas Hotel on Saturday, April 28.so quickly. Wash it carefully the  
night before and put in a tightly-  
covered container in a cool place. In  
the morning cook in the water which  
clings to the leaves. When ready to  
serve drain and chop. Season well  
with salt and pepper and butter and  
pile lightly on hot buttered toast.  
Top with a poached egg and serve  
piping hot.Hot crisp broiled bacon with sliced  
tomatoes between thin slices of hot  
buttered toast is a good combination  
for any meal of the day, but is quick  
and easy for breakfast when speed  
usually counts for most. Crisp lettuce  
may be used in place of tomato or  
may be added to the tomato-bacon  
combination.These sandwiches with pickled beets  
cut in fancy shapes as a garnish and  
a slice of dill pickle cut fan shape are  
delicious to serve with coffee for an  
evening "snack."Remove crusts from thin slices of  
bread. Butter one side of bread very  
lightly and cover with a thin slice of  
cheese that is the same size as the  
bread. Arrange a thin slice of bacon  
cut in thirds on the cheese and toast  
in a hot oven on under. Low broiler  
flame until the bacon is crisp.HAD LEADING ROLE  
IN "H.M.S. PINAFORE"Howard Vey, son of Mr. and Mrs.  
Vey, 1744 Coronation Avenue,  
who will take the part of Sir  
Joseph Porter in the production of  
"H.M.S. Pinafore" by the Eury-  
dicle Art Club at the Empire  
Theatre on Friday evening.BEAVER CLUB'S  
DANCE SUCCESSHudson's Bay Employees  
Hosts at Jolly Affair at  
Empress HotelAbout 250 guests danced with en-  
joyment at the annual dance  
of the Hudson's Bay Beaver Club,  
held yesterday evening at the Em-  
press Hotel. Miss Dolly Rutledge sang  
the choruses of a number of the  
old-time favorites, and dancing con-  
tinued with zest from 8 till 1 o'clock.  
The committee included Misses B.  
Pennock, L. Williams, A. Carey, M.  
Jesse, and Messrs. H. Ward, F.  
Fairhurst, G. Gibson, G. McAdams, B.  
Atkinson, D. McCullough, H. Doherty  
and H. Gallop.Among those present were Mr. and  
Mrs. J. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. G.  
Silburn, Mr. and Mrs. Thurston, Mr.  
and Mrs. Charlton Smith, Mr. and  
Mrs. W. Woodley, Misses H. Thomas,  
K. Miles, Dorothy Pattullo, Melba  
Mills, T. Mathews, K. Miles, Zelma  
Purdy, Ruth De Gruchy, Annie Fos-  
ter, Mary Warren, Owen Williams,  
Muriel Langley, Helen Holmes, Mabel  
Fairhurst, M. Marshall, Fatsy Bird,  
Doris Hooper, Jean Whitehouse, Lily  
Prumetto, M. Grayson, L. Silburn,  
Grace Bowden, Zoe and Joan Brad-  
ford, Ethel Storey, Allen Longhurst,  
Kathleen McCullough, Gladys Cook,  
Brenda Carter, Mildred Hawke,  
Roma Trudel, Mary McKay, Mary  
Purdy, Margaret Ralph, Barbara Tal-  
bot, May Adams, Marguerite Jeeves,  
Eileen Esler, Mimi Riddock, T. Goy  
and May Zala.Miss Frank Marshall, E. Baden,  
M. McMillan, P. Campbell, T. Men-  
zies, R. Kersey, F. Sutton, L. Ken-  
nedy, J. Oakman, F. Parker, A. Phi-  
lips, E. Whitcombe, R. McCullough, J.  
Cunneen, H. Horn, H. Atwell, C. Bent,  
Victor Noon, R. Holburn, P. Williams,  
W. Henderson, W. Gillespie, W.  
Thomson, A. Rawlings, I. Strickland,  
Henry Burden, E. Lansing, J. Bat-  
tullo, E. Crockett, H. Bourne, J.  
Galloway, Eric Meyer, Frank Boughey,  
C. Feden, G. Thompson, H. Johnson,  
M. Acres, L. Fritz, E. Silburn, M. Mc-  
Kinnon, N. Fraser, J. Cumberford, M.  
LePage, C. Davies, E. Fullerton, A.  
Proven and T. Bradbury.  
Miss Verna Middleton, Mr. JackNoble Mr. George Fawcett, Mr. Her-  
bert Doherty, Miss Kathleen Brown,  
Miss Phyllis Williams, Miss Kittie  
Kershaw, Mr. Clever Wilson, Mr.  
Frank Oliver, Mr. Lloyd Cann, Miss  
Francis Chamberlain, Mrs. Reg.  
Woods, Mr. Wilfred Johnson, Mr.  
Ernie Crockett, Mr. Leslie Clarke.Purple Star Banquet.—The officers  
and members of Victoria Purple Star  
Lodge L.O.E.A. No. 104, sat down to  
their annual banquet Wednesday at  
8:30 o'clock. The table being decorated  
in pink and green, with roses and  
sweet peas. The invited guests were:  
Right-Worthy Grand Mistress Mrs. I.  
F. Finlay, Vancouver; Past Grand  
Mistress Mrs. G. Allen, Vancouver;  
Past Grand Mistress Mrs. E. Doane,  
Victoria; Past Grand Mistress Mrs. I.  
Burt, Nanaimo; Grand Deputy  
Mistress Mrs. E. Wright, Victoria;  
Grand Treasurer Mrs. E. M. Town-  
dale, Victoria; Worthy Mistress Mrs.  
S. Ashworth; Deputy Mistress Mrs.  
W. Baker of Queen of the Island;  
Worthy Mistress Mrs. Miller, Deputy  
Mistress Mrs. Christie of Britannia  
Lodge, Worthy Mistress Mrs. J.  
Shankster, Vancouver; Worthy Chair-  
man Miss Olive Edmonds, Victoria;  
Miss Elaine Humphries, Fide of Vic-  
toria, J.O.A.; Worthy Chairman Mr.  
James McVie and Vice-chairman Bob  
McVie, Prince William J.O.A. After  
the banquet the meeting took place,  
with Worthy Mistress Mrs. E. Smith,  
assisted by Deputy Mistress Mrs. J.  
Baron. The mistress welcomed the  
visitors. Two members were initiated.  
The Right-Worthy Grand Mistress  
gave an interesting talk about the  
order and was presented with a token  
of appreciation by the worthy  
mistress. All the rest of the visitors  
were given bouquets. The next meet-  
ing will be held on May 2, at 7:30  
o'clock, after which a card game will  
take place.To Hold Social—Lodge Primrose 32  
Daughters of England will hold its  
social meeting Friday at 7:30 p.m.  
in the S.O.E. Hall. A pageant and  
dance will be held after the meeting.CATARRH AMAZING  
CURE"Nostoline" ends Catarrh forever.  
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ness and Hoarseness. It must  
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tainable at 50c from importers: Chas.  
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MacFarlane Drug Co., Douglas and John-  
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## Reporter Fails To Pass Counterfeit

Following notices from the police that merchants should be on guard for counterfeit half dollars, it was learned this morning that counter-

feit ten cent pieces are also in circulation. A reporter this morning found one of the worthless dimes in his possession when buying an early morning breakfast. As he threw some money on the marble counter the coin failed to ring true and was immediately passed back to him by the waitress. "It was secured by the police," the reporter told in to the police on his rounds. When mixed with other dimes and circulated around the office other reporters failed to detect the counterfeit by sight or feel and picked genuine dimes in efforts to find the bogus one. A ring on a hard surface, however, showed a slight difference.

**LANGFORD**  
Peter Ling was admitted a Cub and Roddy Doyle, Fitzherbert Bullen, David Mole, Ronald Stephen and Geoffrey Bullen all received their

second proficiency badges at their weekly meeting, on Friday at Marshwood, the local headquarters, from Scoutmaster D. B. F. Bullen. Mrs. A. H. Hinks represented the Scout group committee. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ling, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bayles, Mrs. A. D. McClean, Mrs. P. A. Mole and Miss M. Stella M. Hinks, assistant scoutmaster, were present, and afterwards were entertained at tea by Mr. and Mrs. D. B. F. Bullen. Two years' service stars were given to the following Langford Scouts at their meeting on Friday evening: Howard Smedley, Henry Bennett, Hannah Bullen, John Bullen, Oswald Hinks, Claude Hinks and David McClean.

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will be in personal attendance in our Optical Department during the remainder of the present week.

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## ON THE AIR

**CFBC, VICTORIA**  
To-night  
8.30—Birthdays Party.  
8.45—All-Star Parade.  
9.00—Caddy Bunker's "Old-Timers."  
9.15—Bond Business.  
9.30—Caddy Bunker's hour programme.  
9.45—Arthur Bunker: "Why Some Hobbies are Called 'Bingo'."  
10.00—Colonist News Flash.  
To-morrow  
8.30—Top of the Morning.  
8.45—Timely Topics, Dr. Clem Davies.  
9.00—Timely Topics.  
9.15—Morning News.  
9.30—Feature Programme.  
9.45—Art Party, piano.  
10.00—Music in the Air.  
10.15—Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat.  
10.30—The Concert Album.  
10.45—Musical Alphabet.  
11.00—Musical Alphabet.  
11.15—World Bookman: "What's a Scientist?"  
11.30—World Bookman: "What's a Scientist?"  
11.45—World Bookman: "What's a Scientist?"  
12.00—Ten Tunesful Minutes.  
**CKWX, VANCOUVE**  
To-night  
8.15—Puzzle Players.  
8.30—Market Service.  
8.45—The Nightly News.  
9.00—Puzzle Players.  
9.15—Trades and Labor Council.  
9.30—Eddie Hill and his orchestra.  
9.45—Vancouver Studio of Music.  
10.00—The Boy's Parade.  
10.15—Radio Artists' Review.  
10.30—Oldies and his orchestra.  
10.45—Buck McQuay and his B.C. Rangers.  
11.00—Sandy DeSantis and his Venetians.  
11.15—Organ programme.  
11.30—Wednesday Night DX programme.  
To-morrow  
8.15—Radio News.  
8.30—The Sunshine Parade.  
8.45—C.P.R. programme.  
9.00—Anita Carolyn House, dietitian.  
11.00—Organ programme.  
11.30—Anita Carolyn House, dietitian.  
**CFOR, VANCOUVE**  
To-night  
8.45—Black Quotations.  
8.55—News Broadcast.  
9.05—Herald's Baritone.  
9.15—Cardo Smalley, violinist.  
9.25—Organ programme.  
9.35—Mandolin sextet.  
9.45—Paul Raymond, violinist.  
To-morrow  
8.15—Dad's Smiling Billy Blinckhorn.  
8.30—Sovietia.  
8.45—Black Quotations.  
9.00—Organ programme.  
9.15—Evan Davis, classical piano.  
**CRV, VANCOUVE**  
To-night  
8.30—Variety Programme.  
8.45—Canadian Press News (CRV).  
9.00—One Hour With You, Montreal.

## Why Do Women See Red When They Are Told To Work To Hold Their Husband's Love?—For Not Only Their Life's Happiness, But Their Financial Well-being Depends on Their Standing With Their Men

WHY DOES it so infuriate a woman to suggest to her that it is worth her while to make a few efforts to please her husband's love, and keep him thanking his lucky stars that he got her for a wife? That it does, no one can deny. Nothing else makes women see so red. I never write an article on this subject—which is really more important to women than anything else in the world—without getting a flood of angry and abusive letters from peevish ladies who declare that they do not intend to waste their lives trying to placate a mere husband and jolly him into doing the things he should do anyway.

Or they assert that they are not going to wear themselves out putting on their complexions and doing themselves up for men who are no John Barrymores themselves. Or they insist that whether a husband is faithful or not is a matter of luck and has nothing to do with a wife keeping herself attractive. So what is the use in worrying about it?

And why, they ask, should they starve themselves to death to maintain a girlish figure for husbands who are fat and bay-windowed? Why should they do acrobatic stunts all around the pet prejudices of husbands who walk roughshod over theirs? Why should they try to be bright and peppy companions for husbands who spend their evenings hidden behind newspapers and only grunt when they are spoken to? In short, why should they demean themselves by catering to their husbands?

To which the reply is: No reason at all except that both their spiritual and physical well-being depend upon their keeping their husbands in love with them. For marriage is not only a romantic adventure to a woman. It is a business transaction. Both her happiness and her prosperity are involved in it, and the more she is persona grata with her husband, the lighter is her heart and the heavier is her purse.

For, when all is said, marriage is not only woman's predestined career. It is her chosen one. It is the work in which she finds the greatest happiness and the fullest expression of her powers, and which offers her the greatest pecuniary rewards. For there are many wives whose husbands give them fortunes, but few women who ever earn a fortune for themselves, and even an unusually successful business or professional woman has to work a long time before she can set up the comfortable little home and the modest car that the ordinary woman acquires in marriage.

But when a woman goes into this matrimonial partnership she invests her all in it. She puts into it her youth, her heart, her body, her labor, her ambitions, her chances of ever doing anything else in the world, and whether this undertaking in which she has sunk all of her capital is a success or a failure depends on just one thing: Whether she can keep her husband in love with her or not. If she does, she gets a thousand per cent profit in happiness. If she fails, she is bankrupt.

If her husband loves her, he will be faithful and tender and kind, and she can possess her soul in peace and whatever money he makes he will lavish upon her. If he ceases to care for her, he will be cold and neglectful and inconsiderate. Life will be a cinder, ashes and dust to her. Her heart will be torn to shreds by the talons of jealousy and she will have the bitterness of seeing him spend upon other women the money that she has helped him earn.

That is why it pays a wife to keep her husband thinking she is the greatest and only one. It is the only way that she can get what is coming to her in love and money, for the debt that a husband owes his wife cannot be collected by strong-arm methods. It has to be inveigled out of him by finesse and diplomacy.

Personally I have never been able to understand why women consider it more degrading to their self-respect to try to hold a husband than they do to try to hold a job. Nor why they do not think it as much worth while to please a husband as they do to please an employer.

But whatever the reason, few women make the same effort to get along with their husbands that they do with their bosses. No girl employing would dream of correcting her boss's grammar or manners, or contradicting him, or arguing with him. But when she gets married she does not think it necessary to salve her husband, and that is why so often the home wife loses out to the office wife.

Perhaps women's attitude that it is wasted effort to keep a husband fascinated is based upon the theory that marriage is a lifetime job from which they cannot be fired, no matter how sloppy or dull or stupid, or what niggers they are.

But those halcyon days for wives are gone. Divorce is too easy, too common, too respectable for a man to stick at marriage unless it is made pleasant for him. Hence the wife of to-day has to work just as hard and use as much tact in keeping a good husband as she would in keeping a good situation in the commercial world. And so far from there being anything derogatory in her doing so, it merely shows her good sense.

Of course it takes endless labor and intelligence and self-sacrifice to keep a husband vamped. But the point is that it pays to do it.

DOROTHY DIX.

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## HEADLINERS ON RADIO TO-NIGHT

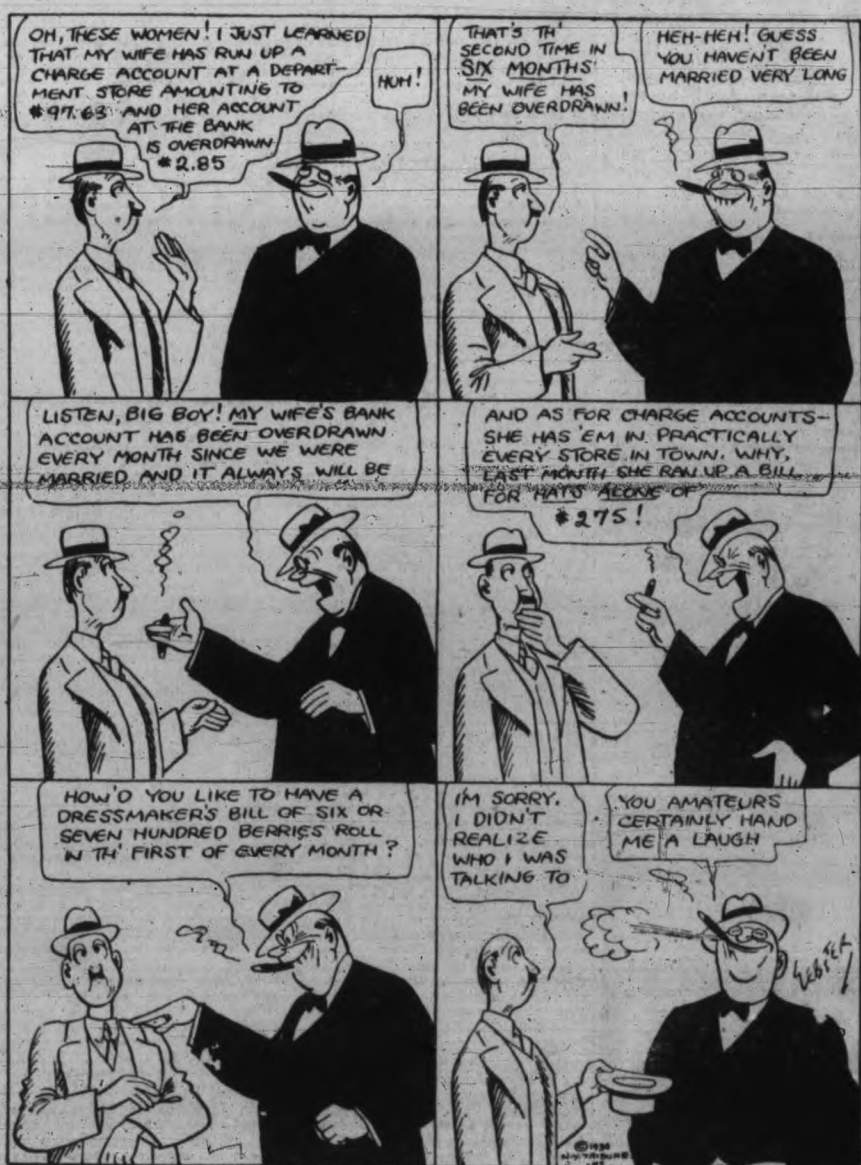
8.30—Albert Spalding will feature a violin arrangement of Wagner's "Tristan" during his programme on CBO with Conrad Thibault, baritone, and Don Voorhes' orchestra.—KOL, KVI, KBL.  
8.45—John Charles Thomas will sing popular light classics and an operatic aria during his broadcast with Andre Koldasch's orchestra and chorus.—KOL, KVI, KBL.  
9.00—The Lyric Trio will present the programme "An Hour With You" from Montreal.—CRV.  
9.15—John Charles Thomas will sing Pearl Curran's "Nocturne," specially dedicated to himself, and David Quinn's new song, "Ride Cowboy, Ride," both from the manuscript.—KOL, KVI, KBL.  
9.30—Ted Fio Rito and his orchestra will broadcast from the new CBS studio-theatre in Hollywood. Dick Powell will act as master of ceremonies.—KOL, KVI, KBL.  
9.45—The Corn Cob Pipe Club programme will be of great interest, with "Auld Lang Syne" and "The Old Folks at Home."—KOL, KVI, KBL.  
10.00—Four voices and an orchestra, directed by Josef Horvath will broadcast from the new CBS studio-theatre in Hollywood. Dick Powell will act as master of ceremonies.—KOL, KVI, KBL.  
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11.30—Midnight Moods.  
To-morrow  
8.00—Covered Wagon Jubilee.  
8.15—Jim DePuy's Revelle and Phillips.  
8.30—Tony Wynn—Keenan and Phillips.  
8.45—Morning market special.  
9.00—Voice of Experience.  
9.15—Programme resumed.  
9.30—Connie Gales.  
9.45—George Seibert's Orchestra.  
10.00—Dr. Burns.  
10.15—Myrtle Melodies.  
10.30—Ray Aces.  
10.45—The Observer.  
11.00—Just Plain Bill.  
11.15—Romance of Helen Trent.  
11.30—American School of the Air.  
11.45—Metropolitan Parade.  
12.00—National Student Federation.  
12.15—Curtis Institute of Music.  
12.30—Bob Standish.  
12.45—Amusement Tips.  
1.00—Happy-go-lucky Hour.  
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8.30—A. Spalding, Violinist, and Conrad Thibault.  
8.45—John Charles Thomas and his orchestra.  
9.00—Burns and Allen, Guy Lombardo and his orchestra.  
9.15—Ted Fio Rito and his orchestra.  
9.30—Myrt and Marce.  
9.45—Nick Lucas.  
10.00—New service.  
10.15—Joe Dalley and his orchestra.  
10.30—Claude Hopkins Orchestra.  
10.45—Mary and John—Romantic sketch.  
11.00—Harmony Method of Piano Teaching.  
11.15—George Hall and his orchestra.  
11.30—The Bowers Orchestra.  
11.45—Gus Arnheim and his orchestra.  
To-morrow  
8.00—Advertiser's Review.  
8.15—Sugar Beet Industries.  
8.30—Tony Wynn, with Keenan and Phillips.  
8.45—Madison Ensemble.  
9.00—The Voice of Experience.  
9.15—Jennie Lee.  
9.30—Milly Way, with Barbara Badger.  
9.45—Marie, the Little French Princess.  
10.00—Melody Roundup.  
10.15—Easy Aces.  
10.30—Blues—"Lost Love Blues."  
10.45—Just Plain Bill.  
11.00—The Romance of Helen Trent.

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## Port Alberni SEES CANADA IN TRADE WAR

Port Alberni, April 25.—Complimenting Miss May Greenard, native daughter of Alberni whose marriage to Charles Nairne takes place next Thursday, Mrs. W. E. Tyler and Mrs. J. Alinsky were joint hostesses at the home of the latter on Monday evening at a miscellaneous shower, when the gifts were presented in a miniature airplane. Decorations were carried out in mauve and yellow, while the table was adorned with clusters of forget-me-nots. The guests present included Mrs. W. C. Hamley, Mrs. J. Magnone, Mrs. Dick Grandy, Mrs. T. Christie, Mrs. M. G. Clouston, Mrs. E. Tyler, Mrs. M. E. Paul, Mrs. T. Aynsley, Mrs. Cal. Cook, Mrs. A. Starnie, Mrs. G. Tanner, Mrs. Fay Robinson, Mrs. J. Clark, Mrs. Gladys Parks, Miss Christie Ross, Miss Rena, Paul, Miss Lily Herbertson.

Miss Christie Mair is visiting Vancouver as the guest of her uncle, J. C. McPherson, Shaughnessy Heights. George Ashley is visiting Vancouver as the guest of his parents.

Members of the St. Alban's Women's Guild were hosts at a tea and sale of work at St. Alban's Hall last Friday-afternoon. Mrs. L. Alford, president, received the guests. Tea arrangements were supervised by Mrs. Fred Street. Fancy work was in charge of Mrs. G. Speed and Mrs. Ian Davidson; candy was sold, by Mrs. H. Bradley and Mrs. Norman Butt, while home cooking was in charge of Mrs. Alford and Mrs. C. Pope. Drawings were conducted by Mrs. J. Walsh and Miss Nellie Bourne. In the evening several tables of bridge were in play.

Miss Louise Morrison, daughter of Mr. Justice Aulay Morrison and Mrs. Morrison, is spending a holiday in the district and is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Robson, Great Central Lake.

## T. W. L. McDermot, League Society Leader, Addresses Joint Luncheon Here

One of Canada's most tangible interests in the question of war lay in its participation in a world-wide economic struggle which, in some instances, could be turned into real conflict through the development of intense and undesirable nationalism. T. W. L. McDermot, M.A. (Oxon), national secretary of the League of Nations Society in Canada, told members of the Canadian and Kiwanis Clubs at a joint luncheon in the Empress Hotel today.

He left with his hearers the question of Canada's stand in the event of Great Britain becoming involved in another great military conflict or of the United States becoming embroiled in a major war.

Mr. McDermot did not believe it was sufficient for citizens in general to take an abstract, negative interest in war. Many, he said, had an instinctive reaction against it. To-day people were giving more thought to war, its causes and its results.

The outlook of Canadians on war was somewhat limited, Mr. McDermot said, noting the lack of knowledge generally on sociological and economic causes of war.

He commented on the position of Senator Maclean, who had suggested Canada's withdrawal from the League of Nations. The speaker failed to see how the senator had reconciled his two statements, first that Canada should remain a loyal member of the British Empire and second, that no Canadian should be sacrificed on a European battlefield. Britain's foreign policy might make that difficult, he suggested.

### WORLD PEACE

In some detail he sketched the development of the idea of a world police force, the plans for which had been already drafted.

Thought against war was, he said, very active when world situations were reviewed. Political arrangements apparently preparatory to war, and economic warfare were evident on the surface, while the steady growth of armaments behind the facade of diplomacy continued, he noted.

Mr. McDermot spoke of the general attitude of the people to the League of Nations, saying many had taken it for granted.

Since the Manchurian episode public interest had waned in the league, and a disintegration in international morality had followed.

The apparent breakdown of the league in the Manchurian issue and the attitude of Germany in ignoring the treaty of Versailles had been reflected in warlike preparations in South America and in Europe.

### PEACE AND WAR COSTS

In the twelve years of the league's general public support world costs for peace totaled about \$60,000,000. During the last year world preparation for war had cost \$5,000,000,000, he said.

War was a paying proposition to a very limited few, the speaker contended. But to the vast majority it was a great expense. Great Britain was paying \$5,000 a minute for the last war, he said.

What looked like a cat and dog fight in South America had repercussions throughout the world, Mr. McDermot stated, referring to the influence on markets and general conditions of conflict there at present.

In reply to the question, "How are Canadians interested in war?" he stated Canada had little political power, but was a first-class economic power with big trade.

### ECONOMIC VIEWPOINT

From an economic point of view and from a point of view of international standards, war was a matter of vital importance.

The speaker referred to the growing tendency of nations to make themselves self-sufficient and shut out contract with both neighboring and distant countries.

Great Britain had taken, to a certain extent, that course by diverting international trade into imperial channels. That had been widely regarded by outside nations as a move for imperial economic strength; a move they regarded as a forerunner of development of military and naval strength.

The economic attitude to-day seemed to be that of "to buy or not to sell," he said.

Mr. McDermot referred to various paradoxes of plenty throughout the world, in which coffee was destroyed in Brazil and Italian farmers paid Hungarian consumers to buy their produce because of government subsidy.

The inevitable result of all these trends was a declining standard of living, Mr. McDermot said.

### ECONOMICS AND POLITICS

It was impossible to separate economics from politics, he said, before showing how the economic war was turned into real war through the struggle for markets. At present the struggle for markets resulted in the lowering of living standards. Usually this latter system was transferred into an outbreak of hostilities through the development of an intense nationalism, he commented.

War, to the average man, meant guns, gas and bombs. But Canada could travel along the road to war equally as quick through economic lanes as through armed methods.

Mr. McDermot referred to the possible stand of Canada in the event of Great Britain joining in another war. Quoting a well-known soldier, the speaker said the veteran had come to view loyalty to Britain in a new light from that which recognized as support of British armaments manufacturers and certain elements which dominated British policy at times.

The speaker finally referred to Canada's inevitable implication in any war in which the United States might be involved.

The speaker was introduced by Herbert Anscomb, M.P.P., president of the Canadian Club, and thanked by J. B. Clearhouse of the Kiwanis Club.

### GERMAN EMPLOYMENT

Berlin, April 25 (Canadian Press)—German unemployment decreased last month by 719,888 persons, according to insurance companies, and 574,000, according to employment bureaus.

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## MANY INQUIRIES ON B.C. PRODUCTS

British Guiana Opens Up Market; Natural and Manufactured Articles Sought

Numerous inquiries have been received from overseas markets by the Department of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa, for commodities produced in British Columbia.

A large number of these inquiries emanate from agents and buyers in British Guiana, who show a desire for British Columbia products.

Fruits, vegetables, fish, ore, paper, confectionery, sugar, hops, furs and woolen bathing suits, are some of the products sought by interested parties in practically every country in the world.

Full particulars regarding these inquiries may be had from the Bureau of Provincial Information at Victoria.

## YALE HEAD VISITS CITY

Dr. J. R. Angell Returns From Hawaii; Psychologist to Speak at Seattle

Dr. James R. Angell, president of the Yale University, returned by the Empress of Japan yesterday from Honolulu after attending conferences pertaining to university business in the Hawaiian Islands.

Dr. Angell is a noted authority on psychology, and is the author of a number of textbooks on the subject and a well-known contributor of articles to scientific journals. He left the University of Michigan in 1918 to take over the presidency of Yale.

The famous educationist has a brilliant record behind him, and is recognized as one of the greatest men of learning in the United States.

As a member of the psychology committee of the National Research Council he served in the adjutant-general's office on classification of personnel in the United States army in 1917, and the following year was advisory member of the committee

## Skating Star Has Uncle Here

Turns Out to Be John A. Gauthier, So He Stays in Victoria

Mrs. Rejane Gauthier, former French-Canadian champion fancy skater, whose split with her partner, Jack Dalton, headlining a vaudeville act at the Empire Theatre, resulting in court action here at the end of last week, is not going back to her home in Montreal after all. After gaining her award of full pay and transportation back home under the contract she signed with Mr. Dalton in Sioux City, Iowa, she was making a start for Montreal. Then suddenly she made a turn-about.

The reason for her turn about was John A. Gauthier, 1121 Chapman Street, Mr. Gauthier read in the Victoria Times on Saturday night of how the skating star with the same name as his own had been in a court case. He decided to look her up.

The result was, it was discovered, he was her long-lost uncle.

"I like Victoria so much and am so glad to see my uncle that I am going to stay here for a while," Mrs. Gauthier said. "Yes, I may give some skating exhibitions, but they will have to be on roller skates as you have no ice rink here."

Mrs. Gauthier will bid goodbye to all her chum friends in the Jay C. Flippen Company to-morrow when they leave here to play in Aberdeen, Washington. She went with the rest of them on a bicycle tour Sunday and also to take part in their baseball game.

### FAY HEMPSTEAD DIES

Little Rock, Ark., April 25 (Associated Press).—Fay Hempstead, poet laureate, died Saturday, slightly ill.

on education and special training in 1918, and became chairman of the National Research Council in 1919. He became president of the Carnegie Corporation.

Four years ago his valuable work was given recognition by the French government when he was decorated with the Chevalier Legion of Honor.

He is the author of "Psychology," which has been published in several editions; "Chapters from Modern Psychology," and is editor "Psychological Monographs."

died at his home here yesterday after an illness of more than a year.

### GRASS COURTS OPEN

Duncan, April 25.—Creating a record, tennis on grass courts commenced at

the Duncan Lawn Tennis Club last Saturday afternoon, two courts being available. Next Saturday two more courts will be in readiness, and the following Saturday, May 5, the official opening will take place.



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Grave Danger in Using Unknown Drugs in Your Home, Mother

Every day, mainly through lack of knowledge, thousands of people gamble the welfare and health of themselves—and their children—on unknown drugs.

Doctors Say PHILLIPS' Milk of Magnesia

When it comes to the very important—and frequently used—"milk of magnesia," for over fifty years physicians have said "PHILLIPS' Milk of Magnesia... the safe remedy."

This is because genuine Phillips' Milk of Magnesia marks what is known to the medical profession as one of the finest

laboratory products the world of science knows.

See That You Get It

If you are offered a "bargain" substitute for Phillips' Milk of Magnesia, ask your doctor before you buy it. He will tell you that substitutes are not "like" real Phillips'. You can get genuine Phillips' Milk of Magnesia at any drug store, in liquid or tablet form, 25c and 50c sizes.

For your own protection, see that you get it.

Also in Tablet Form.

Each tiny tablet is the equivalent of a teaspoonful of genuine Phillips' Milk of Magnesia.



SAFETY in this bottle for you and yours

## PHILLIPS' Milk of Magnesia

MADE IN CANADA





# Hudson's Bay Company

INCORPORATED 2<sup>ND</sup> MAY 1670.

## A great 4 DAY GROCERY Event

Thursday—Friday—Saturday—Monday

### Charge Purchases Go On May Accounts!

All goods ordered on these days will be charged to your May account, payable June 10. Phone order service open at 8 a.m. All orders receive prompt and careful attention. Free delivery to your home.

### SALE OF FLOUR IT WILL PAY YOU TO BUY AT THIS LOW PRICE

Maple Leaf or Seal of Quality	Five Roses, Royal Household and Purity	Robin Hood
24-lb. sack ..... 79c	24-lb. sack ..... 87c	24-lb. sack ..... 82c
49-lb. sack ..... 1.49	49-lb. sack ..... 1.67	49-lb. sack ..... 1.59
98-lb. sack ..... 2.89	98-lb. sack ..... 3.25	98-lb. sack ..... 3.05



**PHONE SPECIAL!**  
8 to 10 Thursday Only  
FREE—1/2-lb. box of Hudson's Assorted Chocolates with each order amounting to \$2.50 or more.  
SO PHONE EARLY!

### LOCAL FRESH EGGS

Grade A Large, per doz., 25¢; 3 doz. for ..... 73¢  
Grade A Medium, per doz., 23¢; 3 doz. for ..... 67¢

### HBC QUALITY BUTTER—Always the Best

Selected Creamery, bulk, per lb. 32¢; 3 lbs. for ..... 94¢  
B.C. Sweet Cream, prints, per lb. 33¢; 3 lbs. for ..... 97¢  
New Zealand, finest quality, per lb. 34¢; 3 lbs. for ..... \$1.06

### TODD'S SALMON

The Finest Quality Always

#### HORSESHOE BRAND

Pancy Sockeye—  
1/2 lb. per tin, 18¢ 2 for 35¢  
1 lb. per tin, 33¢ 2 for 65¢

#### TIGER BRAND

Red Cohoe—  
1/2 lb. per tin, 11¢  
1 lb. per tin, 18¢ 2 for 35¢

#### SUNFLOWER BRAND

1/2 lb. per tin, 8¢ 2 for 15¢  
1 lb. per tin, 14¢



### GLYCERINE PUMICE SOAP

Made in Victoria

For cleaning pots, pans, enamel and woodwork, and it's so good for the hands. Per cake ..... 5c

### Dr. Ballard's Foods For Animals

Health Foods, for Cats, Dogs and Pigeons, special, per tin ..... 14¢  
Puppy Biscuits, 3-lb. bag ..... 21¢  
Cod Liver Oil and Charcoal Biscuits, 3 1/2-lb. bag ..... 27¢  
Terrier Biscuits, for Terriers and small breeds; 3 1/2-lb. bag ..... 26¢  
Square Meal Biscuits, for Alsatians and large dogs, 4-lb. bag ..... 37¢

### Little Peter Pure English Soap

Contains No Lye

PETROLIC (CARBOLIC) AND GREEN OLIVE (FOR WOOLLENS)  
Medium size double bar ..... 9c Large size double bar ..... 15c  
LITTLE PETER PALE  
Medium size double bar ..... 8c Large size double bar ..... 14c

### Birk's Crawford Lines

Exceptional Quality at These Low Prices

BREAST OF TUNA ..... 19¢ 3 for 55¢  
1/2 lb. per tin ..... 10¢ 3 for 45¢  
1/4 lb. per tin ..... 11¢  
SNOWFLAKE CRABMEAT  
1/2 lb. per tin ..... 13¢ 2 for 25¢  
BIRK'S DELICIOUS PINEAPPLE  
Sliced, per tin ..... 14¢ 2 for 27¢  
Cubes, giant flat tin ..... 16¢  
3 for ..... 45¢

### OXO PRODUCTS

FRAY BENTOS CORNED BEEF  
Superior quality, 1 lb. special, 2 tins for ..... 25¢  
OXO CUBES  
Large tins, special ..... 23¢  
2 tins for ..... 45¢  
Small tins, special ..... 9¢

### Royal City Products

"There's Quality Canned in Royal City Brand"

GREEN PEAS  
Size 5, per tin ..... 10¢ 2 for 19¢  
TOMATOES  
Large 2 1/2-lb. tins ..... 10¢ 2 for 19¢  
WHITE CORN  
24 per tin ..... 10¢ 2 for 19¢  
PORK AND BEANS  
18-oz. tins; 3 for ..... 25¢  
SPINACH  
Large 1 1/2-lb. tins ..... 19¢  
2 tins for ..... 55¢  
CONDENSED SOUPS  
Vegetable, 3 tins ..... 25¢  
Tomato and Green Pea, 4 tins for ..... 25¢

### Royal Crown SOAP PRODUCTS

Royal Crown and Pearl White Laundry Soap  
8 cakes for 25c

Jif Soap-Flakes, large pkt., special, at ..... 18¢  
And 1 China Cup and Saucer Free with each packet.  
Royal Crown Washing Powder, large pkt. ..... 18¢  
Royal Crown Cleanser, 4 tins, 23¢  
Sal Soap, per pkt. ..... 9¢  
Royal Crown Ammonia, per pkt. 8¢

### HBC QUALITY BULK TEAS AND COFFEES

#### TEAS

Family Blend, exceptional value, per lb. .... 37¢ 2 lbs. for 70¢  
Special Turban Blend, extra strength and flavor, special, lb. .... 45¢  
3 lbs. for ..... \$1.30  
No. 1 Broken Orange Pekoe, it's better, special, lb. 62¢ 2 lbs. \$1.20

#### COFFEES

Pure, freshly ground, per lb. 25¢, 35¢, 40¢ and ..... 47¢

HBC GOLD MERAL MALT, light or dark; 3-lb. tin, special ..... \$1.10  
Our Last Opportunity to Offer Malt at This Low Price—Buy Now

CANDY SPECIALS  
Clove's Assorted and Gum and Butter Toffees, special, lb. .... 25¢  
Whipped-Cream Bon Bons, per lb. .... 23¢

### BAKERY SPECIALS

Ginger Loaf Cake, each ..... 15¢ Spiced Buns, per dozen ..... 24¢

#### Three Star Specials

Limited Quantity

★ Cottage Rolls Superior Quality  
Smoked, 3 to 7 lbs., lb. 19c

★ Heinz Ketchup Large bottle ..... 18c

★ Ormond's Sodas Large packet 18c  
2 pkts. for 35¢

### What's the Weight of the Sack of Robin Hood Flour?

—And the number of tins in the NABOB display on exhibition in our Groceries. Contest forms with every purchase. Send in your estimate and perhaps win one of the following prizes:

- 1st Prize. One case of NABOB MIXED PRODUCTS, 24 tins.
- 2nd Prize. 49-lb. sack ROBIN HOOD FLOUR.
- 3rd Prize. 12 tins NABOB MIXED PRODUCTS.
- 4th Prize. 24-lb. sack ROBIN HOOD FLOUR.
- 5th Prize. 6 tins NABOB MIXED PRODUCTS.

### Pacific Meats North Star Hams



Whole or Half, 27c  
per lb. .... 27c

#### SLICED COOKED MEATS

Baked Ham, sliced, per lb. .... 45c  
Bologna Sausage, sliced, per lb. .... 15c  
Jellied Ox Tongue, sliced, per lb. .... 45c

### North Star Canned Meats

ENGLISH BRAWN  
1 lb. .... 17c 3 for 50c  
1/2 lb. .... 11c 2 for 20c  
MEAT LOAF  
1 lb. .... 23c 2 for 45c

### Best Foods Mayonnaise

For Delicious Salads

3 1/2-oz. jar ..... 11¢  
8-oz. jar ..... 21¢  
16-oz. jar ..... 41¢

### Best Foods Sandwich Spread

3 1/2-oz. jar ..... 11¢  
8-oz. jar ..... 23¢

### Three Diamond Crab Meat

Deep-sea Japanese Crab—It's wonderful.  
1/2 lb. per tin ..... 33c  
2 tins for 65¢

### PALMOLIVE TOILET SOAP

per cake ..... 5c

### GLADIOLA BULBS

Named varieties, regular 25c. Special at: per dozen ..... 20¢  
Mixed varieties, regular 20c. Special, dozen, 18¢; 2 dozen for 35¢

Ontario Mild Cheese, lb. .... 20¢  
English Stilton Price Dairy Cheese, per lb. .... 85¢  
Canned Beef, sliced, per lb. .... 15¢

### HEINZ PURE VINEGAR—Malt or White

16-oz. bottle ..... 17c 32-oz. bottle ..... 29c

### Finest B.C. Granulated Sugar

10-lb. sack ..... 80¢  
20-lb. sack ..... \$1.55  
100-lb. sack ..... \$7.00

### Fruits and Vegetables

Your Personal Selections or Phone Orders Receive Careful Attention

Strawberry Rhubarb, 4 lbs. .... 15¢  
Local Spinach, 3 lbs. for ..... 20¢  
New Carrots, 2 bunches ..... 15¢  
Share's Asparagus, lb. .... 25¢  
Fresh Green Peas, 2 lbs. .... 25¢  
Large White Cauliflower ..... 15¢  
New Spring Cabbage, 3 for ..... 10¢  
LARGE HEAD LETTUCE, each ..... 10c  
SMALL RIPE BANANAS  
4-5-6 to the pound ..... 3 lbs. 29c

### James' Canadian Seeds

Guaranteed to Grow

FLOWER AND VEGETABLE  
100 pkts. 13 for 1.00  
special Or 3 for 25¢  
Make Your Selection Now



### Visit the Peek, Frean's Biscuit Box

Our Demonstrator will be pleased to offer suggestions for bridge parties, etc.

VITA WHEAT  
per pkt. 25c and 50c

We Also Carry a Complete Line of Fancy Assorted and Plain Biscuits

### HBC FRESH MEATS

Carry and Save Specials for To-day

2,000 lbs. Fresh Beef, including Pot Roasts, Stewing Beef, Shanks, Plates, Briskets, Flanks and Dripping, all ..... 6c lb.

1,000 lbs. Sirloin, T-bone, Tip Roasts, Ribs, Rumps, Rounds, Steaks, Sausages and Minced Steaks, all ..... 14c lb.

—Quality Food Markets, Lower Main Floor, HBC

### POLISHES AND CLEANSERS

NUGGET SHOE POLISH, Black, white, brown or tan, per tin ..... 11¢

SILVO POLISH  
Per tin ..... 21¢

BRASSO  
Per tin ..... 19¢

ZEBRA STOVE POLISH  
Per bottle ..... 13¢

HECKITT'S BLUE  
Per pkt. .... 6¢



### Cowan's Perfection Cocoa

Wonderful Value

1-lb. tin, special ..... 21c  
1/2-lb. tin, special ..... 13c  
2 tins for 25¢



### Crosse & Blackwell's PURE FOODS

Boned Chicken, 7 1/2-oz. tin ..... 25¢  
Malt Vinegar, 26-oz. bottle ..... 23¢  
Chef Sauce, 8-oz. bottle ..... 19¢  
Kellier's Little Chip Marmalade, 12-oz. jar ..... 19¢  
Condensed Soups, 3 1/2-oz. tins, "Flavor-controlled," All kinds, special; 3 tins for ..... 25¢



### French's Prepared Mustard

Per jar ..... 13c



### Saanich Canning Products

100% Vancouver Island Industry: Quality Guaranteed

LOGANBERRIES  
24, per tin ..... 14¢  
3 tins for ..... 40¢  
BARTLETT PEARS  
24, per tin ..... 17¢  
3 tins for ..... 50¢  
CLAMS  
Whole or minced, 2 tins ..... 25¢



### Many Flowers Toilet Soap

For a Lovely Skin  
Per cake ..... 5c



### Empress B.C. Products

SPECIAL LOW PRICES

PURE ORANGE MARMALADE  
4-lb. tin ..... 47¢  
PURE STRAWBERRY JAM  
4-lb. tin ..... 59¢  
EXTRACTS  
Assorted, per bottle ..... 18¢  
2 bottles for ..... 35¢  
JELLY POWDERS  
Assorted, 4 pkts. .... 23¢



### Lever Bros. Soaps

SUNLIGHT SOAP  
Large carton ..... 19c  
3 cartons for ..... 55¢

LIFEBUOY SOAP  
At ..... 3 cakes for 25c

LUX SOAP FLAKES  
Large pkt. .... 21c

RINSO  
Large pkt. .... 21c  
Small pkt. .... 9c



LOOK FOR THE GROCETERIA AD IN "THE BAY'S" ANNIVERSARY BROADSIDE



VICTORIA, B.C., WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25, 1934

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING TELEPHONES E4175, E4176

### Victoria Daily Times

MEMBER ADVERTISING CIRCULATION

**TELEPHONES**  
 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.—Advertising... E4175  
 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.—Circulation... E4176

**CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES**  
 14c per word per insertion.  
 Minimum charge 25c.  
 50c per line per month.  
 Minimum charge \$2.50.

Births \$1.00 per insertion.  
 Marriages \$1.00 per insertion.  
 Deaths \$1.00 first insertion and \$1.00  
 subsequent insertions.  
 Funeral notices, Memorials notices  
 and Card of Thanks \$1.50 per insertion.

In computing the number of lines in an advertisement, estimate groups of three or  
 four as one word. Dollar marks  
 and all abbreviations count as one word.

The Times will not be responsible for  
 any loss or incorrect insertion of an  
 advertisement ordered for more than one  
 day. Any claim for rebate on account of  
 error or omission must be made within  
 five days from the date of the same.  
 otherwise the claim will not be allowed.

Advertisers who desire to have their  
 address to a box at the Times office  
 and forwarded to their private  
 address, a charge of 10c is made for this  
 service.

Subscribers wishing their addresses  
 changed, should notify this office as well  
 as the carrier. If your Times is missing,  
 please notify before 8 a.m. and a copy will  
 be sent by special messenger.

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 Letters addressed to the following boxes  
 are available at the Times Office for  
 presentation to the advertiser. Replies  
 are obtained by advertisers who follow up  
 replies promptly.  
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Third race—Six furlongs: Bal 113, Miss Tracer 105, Polly Diakin 38, Fly Fast 108, Prevue 107, Jennie 108, Gerard 113, Swiftly 113.

Fourth race—5 1/2 furlongs: Pleasant 35, Golden State 109, Chazzy 110, Concho 109, Barbara Lee 105, Rockdale 104, Sir Sartin 111, Beth Ogan 111.

Fifth race—Mile and one-quarter: Use Alia 105, Before 110, Wizardry 35, Searington 105, Bonfield 105, Northern Water 105, Flying Atom 110, Incon Field 105, Pertinacious 105, Jet Ormont 110.

Sixth race—Mile and seventy yards: Orth Shadow 112, Listo 107, Centre 105, Shasta Brown 108, Seth's ope 113, Rioclaro 113.

Seventh race—One mile: Millaw 35, Bon Eya 104, Jas Pat 113, Little 113, Dazetta 108, The Miner 105, Hatter On 105, Sleepy Boy 113, Dr. Ilean 113, Business Man 106, Super fellow 113, Pink Slipper 108.

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**GENUINE BISSELL'S SWEEPER**

The remains of Mrs. Edith Maude Cochran, wife of Colin C. Cochran of Sidney, who passed away yesterday in the Jubilee Hospital, are resting at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, proceeding to Holy Trinity Church, Victoria, where Rev. T. M. Hughes will conduct the service at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be in Holy Trinity Cemetery.

**OCTOGENARIAN DIES**

Vanouver, April 25.—Mrs. Margaret Eliza Blair, eighty-five, of Quebec City, is dead here. She had been residing here since 1929. She is survived by two other sons, David E. Blair of Montreal and Norman F. Blair, Quebec City, and one daughter, Mrs. C. W. Torrens of Quebec City.

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## NEWS IN BRIEF

Ward VI CCF club will meet in the Macdonnell Hall, 724 Fort Street, at 8:15 p.m. to-morrow.

The Biblical drama "Dream of Queen Esther" erroneously advertised to take place in St. John's auditorium this evening, will be presented to-morrow evening in the Shrips Auditorium by the St. John's Anglican Young People's Association.

Organization of an Esquimaux Ratepayers' Association will be completed at a meeting to be held in the auditorium of the Municipal Hall to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. R. J. Stewart will occupy the chair. All ratepayers in the municipality are asked to attend.

John Caird, charged with unlawful possession of a pair of boots, was again remanded when he appeared for judgment in the City Police Court this morning. He pleaded guilty yesterday and was remanded until this morning. Judgment will be given to-morrow.

Six-year-old Edwin Crooks suffered slight injuries to his leg in an accident yesterday evening when he was struck by a car driven by R. W. Murdoch, 2346 Windsor Road, according to a police report. Mr. Murdoch was driving south on Douglas Street and the lad walked out from behind a street car. He was taken to his home at 714 View Street by Mr. Murdoch.

Herbert Aniscom, M.P.P., will be the speaker at a joint luncheon of the "Graters" Association and the Quadians Club to be held in Spencer's dining-room at 12:10 o'clock, Friday. Mr. Aniscom's subject will be "Important Points of the Recent Session of the Legislature of Interest to Business Men."

When he pleaded guilty in City Police Court this morning to keeping poultry in a pen less than twenty feet from a dwelling, C. Joyce was fined \$10, or in default, five days imprisonment. Information was laid by Thomas Lancaster, city sanitary inspector, who testified the accused had been warned several times of the infraction of the by-law which he was committing.

In order to correct some wrong impressions that seem to be abroad it is announced the open meeting in connection with the Oxford Group Movement which is being held in the Empress Hotel ballroom to-morrow is being addressed by a team entirely composed of local groups, and it is not necessary to have a card in order to be admitted to the meeting.

Plans for the coming season of activities were discussed by members of the Victoria Branch of the British and Foreign Bible Society who attended a meeting in the Y.M.C.A. yesterday evening. An attempt to stimulate interest in the movement among the clergy of Victoria will be made. Another meeting will be held shortly to outline the fall and winter programmes. Rev. A. de B. Owen presided over yesterday's meeting.

The fourth counterfeit coin to appear in Victoria in the last three weeks was turned in to the city detective department this morning by a citizen who received it as part of change for a purchase of cigarettes which he made yesterday. The coin was a fifty-cent piece and in this instance was markedly marked around the edges. The police are investigating the circulation of these bogus coins and request persons discovering them to turn them in.

The first prosecutions by the provincial government under the Minimum Wage Act for female workers were launched in the City Police Court this morning when M. J. Allen, Vancouver, was charged with "unlawfully contravening the order of the board made under the Female Minimum Wage Act by payment of wages less than the minimum fixed by the board." Gordon Cameron appeared for the defence and was granted an adjournment until next Wednesday morning.

The following programme will be rendered at the St. George's concert at the Pro Patria branch, Canadian Legion, to-night: Bill Billies orchestra; G. Ingledew, song and monologue; T. Obee, comic song; S. James, comic song; E. Clarke, song; L. Holden, mandolin solo; J. Pullen and G. Campbell, violin and concertina solo; H. Walton, song; W. Corbett, song; J. Mitchell, accordion solo; C. A. Gill, song; W. Barlow, comedy singing; G. Scottie, pianist; J. P. Collins will preside.

**Miss Janet Clark Dies at Sooke**

Miss Janet Clark passed away yesterday at the residence of her brother-in-law and sister, Rev. Samuel and Mrs. Lundie Sooke, aged eighty-five years. Miss Clark was born in Toronto and came to British Columbia thirty-eight years ago, residing here for many years at Trail before coming here to make her home with Mrs. Lundie nine years ago. She is survived by two brothers, George M. Clark, Nelson, and William Clark, Trail, and two sisters, Mrs. Lundie Sooke, and Mrs. J. H. Lundie, Sooke.

Funeral services will be held to-morrow afternoon at 1 o'clock at McCall Bros. Funeral Home, after which the remains will be forwarded to Trail for interment.

**To-day's Birthdays**

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25

Robert Stander Grant Way, 317 Lincoln Way, San Francisco (4).

Veria Humber, 3194 Douglas Street, Victoria (16).

Barbara Windlow, 1044 Grainger Road, Victoria (11).

Leslie Delbert Irvine, Ruby Road, Saanich (6).

Elsie Hawthorn, 147 Ontario Street, Victoria (10).

**IS LAID TO REST**

The funeral of Edward Wakelin, who passed away Saturday morning at his home, Georges Harbor, took place yesterday afternoon at the cortege leaving the residence at 1:15 o'clock, and thirty minutes later services were conducted at St. Mary's Church, Fulford Harbor, by Rev. J. S. A. Bastin. Relatives and a large gathering of neighbors and friends were present and the casket and flowers were covered with beautiful flowers. The hymns sung were "Abide With Me" and "Rock of Ages." The pallbearers were: Edward Ackerman, John Rogers, W. A. McAffee, Harold Price, Charles Grant and H. T. Peters. The remains were laid to rest in the family plot in the church cemetery.

Ward Two Young Liberals will meet to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock in the headquarters, Broughton and Government Streets.

## INJURES HEAD IN ACCIDENT

R. Rawlinson Reported Fair After Crash on Quadra St. Yesterday Evening

Condition of Richard Rawlinson, 1442 Hillside Avenue, injured yesterday evening in an accident on Quadra Street, was reported fair at the St. Joseph's Hospital to-day.

Mr. Rawlinson is believed to have suffered a fractured skull when his car skidded and traveled sixty-nine yards in a ditch on the west side of the road and climbed a small embankment before coming to a stop. Two passengers with him were uninjured.

According to a report from the Saanich police, Mr. Rawlinson was proceeding north on Quadra Street and had reached the bend south of Rithet's Hill. As he rounded the turn, his car went into a skid and slid across the road into the ditch and kept on going.

When it came to rest he crashed through the windshield and received cuts and bruises in addition to the more serious injury. Two lady passengers suffered from fright. Mr. Rawlinson was attended by Dr. Gordon Kenning, and the passengers were later taken to their homes.

Stewart Brown and Constable J. Bull of the Saanich police, attended the scene of the accident and took measurements.

## GOOD MARKET FOR B.C. HOPS

John I. Haas of Washington, D.C., Hopes to Be Able to Settle Here Some Day

There is a steadily growing market for British Columbia grown hops due to the increasing demand from Great Britain and the United States, according to John I. Haas, head of the John I. Haas Hop Company (Canada) Ltd., who is at the Empress Hotel to-day from Washington, D.C.

The John I. Haas Hop Company Inc., Washington, D.C., of which Mr. Haas is also president, is the parent concern in the United States.

"Because of the demand for hops we have been forced to plant an additional sixty-five acres on our property at Sardis, B.C.," said Mr. Haas when questioned about the hop industry.

The Canadian company, he added, now has 350 acres under hop cultivation at Sardis.

The future of the hop industry is bright, particularly in the United States, where the breweries are working overtime to supply the demand for beer, stated Mr. Haas. Apart from the domestic demand, he said, the Canadian hops are finding a good market in the United Kingdom.

"I like this section of Canada," declared Mr. Haas in explaining that he was here to see his friends whenever he gets the opportunity. "I like it so well that I hope to be able to come here and settle down when I am in a position to break away from my business interests in Washington."

## STUDY TAXI RATES HERE

Council Committee Hears Cab Operators on Question of Uniform Rate

Action towards the establishment of a special taxi by-law in the city proceeded yesterday as members of the industrial and trades development committee of the City Council met with delegates from the taxi companies and independents to discuss various features of the move to secure a uniform rate.

Opinion was somewhat divided on figures for the rate among the taxi men themselves, but one based on thirty cents for the first four-fifths of a mile and ten cents for each additional four-fifths received the support of the majority of the delegates.

Additional charges would include ten cents for every three minutes of waiting time and ten cents for each passenger above four.

Before any scale is set, information will be secured from Vancouver to determine what rulings have been put in to force that city.

**OPERATING COST**

During discussion yesterday, the point was brought out operation of the average taxi cost eighteen cents a mile.

None of the taxi interests objected to the installation of meters or the carrying of passenger insurance, although some declared it would take some time and expense to get those phases of the question.

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# THE SPORTS MIRROR

**ST. MIRREN WINS**

Glasgow, April 25.—St. Mirren defeated Partick Thistle 3 to 2 in a Scottish Football League first division encounter yesterday.

### TENNIS MEETING

A meeting of delegates of tennis clubs in Victoria and district will be held, to-night, at 8 o'clock, in Dr. Hoak's office in the Pemberton Building. Plans for the season will be discussed and other important business will be brought up.

He was hit for a 388 KAVAGE from the Yankees, but he was hit from the White Sox lineup, was hit along at a .381 rate so far and that's three homers in his collection of eight hits.

Reffner, however, has been the second baseman for the Yankees from Ft. Llimore. Reffner was a weak left blitzer whose brilliant sliding would nevertheless keep him in the Yankee lineup. But the rookie was hit for a .381 rate so far. His average stands at .381.

Konecny, labelled a "bust" when he was up with the New York Giants a few years ago, has pounded out 11 hits in twenty-seven times at bat for the Yankees. He has a .370, and fielded 10 assists to, Port-

Wightman Cup against the British at Wimbledon, June 15 and 16.

Selected with her, by the committee, to carry the United States colors to the international tennis competition, are three fellow Californians: Alice Marble, San Francisco; Carol Balaban, Los Angeles; and Betty Buckwalter, Berkeley.

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**Mr. And Mrs.**

NOW, DO BE CAREFUL ABOUT CATCHING MORE COLD. DON'T GET OVERHEATED

I'LL BE CAREFUL

AND DON'T COME IN CONTACT WITH PEOPLE WHO HAVE COLDS!

I CAN'T ASK EVERY STRANGER ON THE STREET IF HE HAS A COLD CAN I?

JOE IS SO CARELESS OF HIS HEALTH. HE NEVER WILL TAKE PROPER PRECAUTIONS

LATER

WHAT IN THE WORLD ARE YOU DOING NOW?

GOING TO WALK ON STILTS HEREAFTER YOU SAID TO AVOID PEOPLE WITH COLDS DIDN'T YOU?

**Bringing Up Father**

I'M GONNA GET RID OF THIS ELEPHANT AN' IT'S GONNA BE DONE RIGHT AWAY

NOW - JUST GO AN' LOSE YOURSELF AMONG ALL THEM ELEPHANTS IN THE ZOO

BY GOLLY - THAT WAS SO EASY - I KIN HARDLY BELIEVE I GOT RID OF HIM!

WOW - WOW - SAID THE FOX - HE'S BACK AN' HE BROUGHT THE ZOO WITH HIM

**Boots And Her Buddies**

SEE, WILLIE - I'M AWFUL SORRY ABOUT ALL THIS - I'VE MADE ONE SWELL MESS OF THINGS

AW, FERGET IT! COMON, LET'S GET GOIN'

PARDON ME, MISS - BUT THIS FELLA HAS BEEN WATCHING YOU IN SUCH OPEN ADMIRATION, I'VE TAKEN PITY ON HIM AND OFFERED TO INTRODUCE YOU

HLO! MY NAME IS BOOTS

AND MINE IS RONALD ROSS! I JUST HEARD OF THE MISTAKE YOU MADE IN COMING HERE AND - I'M TERRIBLY SORRY

OH, THAT'S ALL RIGHT - ONLY, I'M AFRAID I HAVE MADE A PERFECT FOOL OF MYSELF

PLEASE DON'T FEEL THAT WAY, JUST BECAUSE EVERYONE LAUGHED AT YOU! THEY'RE JEALOUS! SAY, THERE ARE PLENTY IN THIS CROWD WHO WORK AT BEING FUNNY - AND YOU WEREN'T EVEN TRYING

**Alley Oop**

OUT IN THE PATH OF THE MONSTERS I RACED, KNOWING FULL WELL NO DANGER I FACED! BUT THE BLOOD OF THE PEOPLE WHO WATCHED, WAS CHILLED, BECAUSE, I KNEW, THEY THOUGHT I WAS KILLED!

I SMILED TO MYSELF AN' SCREAMED A COMMAND - AN LO AN' BEHOLD, DINNY SLID TO A STAND!! HE GAVE ME A LOOK OF REPROACH - KINDA SAD - AN HUNG HIS HEAD LIKE HE THOUGHT I WAS MAD!

WHAT'S THE MEANING OF THIS, DINNY? WHY ARE YA ACTIN' LIKE A NINNY?

YEAH? GO ON - THEN WHAT?

**Ella Cinders**

YOU SAY YOU WANT TO SPEAK TO THE MANAGER? IS THERE SOMETHING WRONG? I HAVE -

NO, NOTHING AT ALL - I JUST WANT TO SPEAK TO HIM

WHERE IS HE, THE DARK-HAIRED WAITRESS?

SHE IS IN HER ROOM! I'M GOING TO HAVE TO DISCHARGE HER, I'M AFRAID! SHE'S INCOMPETENT SINCE SOME LOVE AFFAIR TOOK HER MIND OFF HER WORK!

MR. DIGBY, I'VE TAKEN YOUR MOST EXPENSIVE SUITE AND I INTEND STAYING HERE FOR A WHILE, AND SHALL, IN ALL PROBABILITY, SPEND A LOT OF MONEY! BUT IF MISS CINDERS ISN'T PUT BACK ON HER JOB IMMEDIATELY YOU MAY HAVE MY LUGGAGE REMOVED!

AS YOU WISH, MR. RANDALL, BUT YOU DO NOT UNDERSTAND THIS CASE, SIR!

MR. DIGBY, I BET A LOT OF YOUR ANCESTORS GOT WASHED OFF A ROCK WHILE THEY WERE TELLING AT NOAH THAT HE KNEW NOTHING ABOUT BUILDING AN ARK!

**Mutt And Jeff**

WHY ISN'T IT IF I CAN LAST THREE HOURS WITH MY RED KING RINGS NEXT WEEK I'LL WIN BIG! - I GOTTA LEARN HOW TO BOX AND -

THE PUNCHY SAG OUTBORED ME!

**The Gumps**

GOOD NIGHT!

PHIEW! WHAT A CLOSE ONE - THERE WERE TWO BAILIFFS WAITING TO SERVE PAPERS ON ME THIS MORNING - I JUST MANAGED TO DODGE AROUND THE CORNER IN TIME - WHAT CAN I DO NOW? THEY'LL TIE UP EVERY CENT I OWN -

YES - I'VE BEEN EXPECTING THAT - THE BEST THING IS TO STAY OUT OF SIGHT FOR A FEW DAYS UNTIL WE GET OUR CASE LINED UP - HOWEVER - THAT'S A MINOR POINT -

BUT THEY'LL RUN ME - THEY'LL GET INJUNCTIONS OUT ON ALL MY HOLDINGS - MAYBE WE'LL BETTER TRY TO OFFER THEM A SETTLEMENT -

NOW DON'T GET PANICKY - I'LL PROTECT YOU - HOWEVER - BEFORE WE GO ANY FURTHER I THINK YOU OUGHT TO KNOW THAT THIS IS GOING TO INVOLVE A GREAT DEAL OF EXPENSE AND DETAIL ON MY PART - I'LL HAVE TO DEVOTE MOST OF MY TIME TO THIS ONE CASE - AND SO I'LL HAVE TO ASK AN IMMEDIATE RETAINING FEE OF \$100,000 -

# THE Lone Wolf's Son

By Louis Joseph Vance

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**CHAPTER XVIII**

When the dinner hour in the saloon-manger drew to its close, the third night out, and wonder waxed at the continued failure of Maurice to show up at the club, the detective, Lan- yard was somewhat disappointed to find Fennio Crozier sounding his mind.

"It's just paternal solicitude that makes you so pretty skeptical. That's not bad, you know—the circumstances you don't know considered. Maurice is dining to-night in the Ritz cafe, with Tess Boyce and her gang. Just in little dinner, the lady's throwing in his honor for saving her pearls from that sneak thief."

"Indeed?" Lanyard smiled against the grain: say what you would, the sheer impudence of the scamp's acceptance of a testimonial was ir- resistible. "Gratitude," he pensively submitted, to cover his thoughts, "is a devastating sentiment."

"You don't think so? Not really?"

"But think what obligations it imposes on its object!"

"Oh, I shouldn't fret about that young man, if I were his father. I fancy you'll find he knows his way about."

"I well believe you," Lanyard soberly agreed. "Then too—even if the lady is by any chance unmarried at the moment—a winner of the Cal- cutta sweepstakes is after all tame game for her gams."

"I'm not so sure," Fennio with fine inconsistency—confessed a twinge. "The boy is sweet, you know."

"It takes more than personal charms to foot a charge account of Cartier's."

"But even the hard boiled have their caprices, monsieur!"

"For ropes of pearls, I grant you. But assuming Maurice were ever to settle down and turn his gifts to some account—"

"He will. He's clever."

"His honest earning of the next several years would probably pay for the least of Madame Boyce's marriage trophies."

"As distinguished from such wind- falls as a lucky sweepstakes ticket."

Pay Crozier here rose to the lute of a name caught by an ear casually at liberty.

"What about the Boyce, Lanyard?" she asked.

"We were discussing her gratitude to Maurice for making her latest jewel robbery a good press story."

"Her last was a flop; that's a fact. But if you expect to find human gratitude in this case, you're ever yet to have the experience of her acquaintance."

"Do you mean to tell us she isn't a customer of Delibes?"

"She might have been, madame, but not on her terms. She approached us a few years ago—it was the younger Delibes, I believe, whom she inter- viewed—with proposals plain enough and much to the point: we were to charge her current fancy half as much again as our set prices, remit the excess tax privately to her, and agree to buy back everything on de- mand at the proper selling price less our profit. She was with difficulty persuaded that she had come to the wrong shop, and took her custom, one assumes, to houses less scrupu- lous."

"It sounds lifelike," Pay Crozier made a scandalized face. "The things they tell us about that one!"

"Madame may save her blushes. One has heard enough from other sources to accept what she implies without detailed substantiation."

"But of course everybody knows what the woman is. I only hope you won't let her get her hooks into that fine boy of yours."

"It has already occurred to me to wonder if it would be wise to breathe a word of caution—and then to re- flect that the young are prone to resent being talked to for their own good. Madame, I think, has prob- ably no name for wasting time on small fry."

"Still, and for all that, the new- found father of Lanyard fretted. The man even fumed in moderation. It wasn't enough that he should have Maurice's gay reputation of his guidance to discourage him. Maurice's infatuation with a rogue's life and contempt of all consequences, his de- light in such proofs of cleverness as had, for example, turned his tight squeak of late night in a coup-de- farce—now Lanyard had to be re- minded that the society of Tessie Boyce and her circle was the worst in the world for a mettlesome young- ster.

And nothing to be done about it— unless, perhaps, by means so subtle that the boy would never surmise his father's hand in them.

Lanyard thoughtfully glanced at this question, and then, thoughtlessly, at the red-haired person on his left. And perceiving how close was the association of ideas, how faith that the son would find salvation only as his father had, in love of a right woman, was welded to the wish, that Maurice might be happy enough to find his in the love of Fennio, Lan- yard smiled to himself the dim smile of a reluctant nature—only to see it surprised by brown eyes that were manifestly no less alert because pen- sive.

"Yes, monsieur. You were think- ing—"

"That I find myself with rather a troublesome problem on my hands," Fennio's face was sympathetic, the small nod the gave intent. "I know."

"I am sure you do."

"Clever hands," the girl mused,

looking at Lanyard's. "—artistic, yet capable. I don't believe they often fail you."

"But deplorably unpracticed in the technique of paternity," Lanyard protested, "giving me to wonder where to turn for instruction, Fennio—to your mother or you?"

"To me, monsieur!"

"You find that an astonishing sug- gestion? But consider that she too is a headstrong infant—and how well you manage her?"

"Ah, but mother doesn't know that."

"More proof—that yours are defter hands than mine at such work. True, they have had more experience."

"And an easier job. Pay, you know, with all her nonsense, is what you are fond of calling yourself, old school—far easier to handle than the pro- fessionally unutilized children of my generation."

"And Maurice's?"

"Yes, but all the same—Maurice isn't typical, you know. He isn't hard shell, really. He only likes to think he is."

"So much the more reason, then, to worry about him—so vain, so naive, so susceptible to flattery?"

"You're not seriously afraid Tess Boyce will make a dead end for him, are you, and turn his head?"

(To Be Continued)

**Uncle Wiggily and the Magic Bug**

(By HOWARD R. GARIS)

Uncle Wiggily was standing beside the flower bed that Mr. Twistytail, the fat pig gentleman had made for him. In the brown earth of the bed Mr. Longears had planted seeds of red, blue, purple and yellow flowers. Rather foolishly, Uncle Wiggily thought that a few hours after he had planted the seeds he should be able to go out and pick the blossoms to make an April bouquet for his wife.

"Of course you and I know that such a thing could not really happen. But Uncle Wiggily, after having seen an April shower wet the bed of seeds, had an idea that he could soon pick flowers. He did not tell his wife this, as he wanted to surprise her.

So, after having looked at the flower bed from his bungalow window several times, at last the rabbit gentleman hopped out to get closer to it.

"Not yet, I wonder when?" he said rather sadly to himself as he stood beside the bed. "And then, as I told you in the story last night, some- thing happened."

All of a sudden a voice near the rabbit gentleman asked:

"What are you wondering about?"

"Uncle Wiggily jumped up as a cat, does when she asleep and hears a dog bark. He feared one of the Bad Chaps might have sneaked up on him. But nothing like that had happened. All he saw was a red bug, about the size of a Sculpin Bug, walking on the early April grass.

"What did you say, begging your pardon for not having heard it the first time?" asked the rabbit.

"I said what are you wondering about," spoke the red bug. Or, rather, he burred it.

"I was wondering," answered Uncle Wiggily, "when I could pick some flowers out of my bed to make an April bouquet for my wife."

"When did you plant the seeds?" asked the red bug.

"Yesterday," replied the rabbit.

"Well, then you can't expect any flowers for about six weeks," said the red bug.

"Six weeks?" cried Uncle Wiggily. "Oh, what a long time!"

"Unless," burred the bug.

"Unless what?" asked the rabbit gentleman.

"Unless I do a little magic trick," burred the red bug.

"Oh, can you do magic?" asked Uncle Wiggily.

"Yes," came the answer. "I am a magic bug."

"Then I wish you would now make some flowers grow in this bed so I can pick my wife an April bouquet," said the rabbit. "You see my wife and Nurse Jane and Mr. Twistytail told me I couldn't pick any flowers out of this bed for a long time. I would like to do it right now and fool them. It would be a good joke on them."

"It certainly would," answered the red bug and he laughed so hard that his wings fluttered. "Well, as it hap- pens," he went on, "I am able to do a little magic and I can make some flowers grow in this bed for you right away."

"Oh, you can!" exclaimed Uncle Wiggily. "How?"

"That is a secret," burred the bug. "But what I told my wife when she asked me why I was so often jump- ing up and looking out of the win- dow," said the rabbit. "As a matter of fact, I was looking to see if any flowers had yet blossomed from the seeds I planted."

"Impossible!" said the bug.

"You mean—silly of me?" asked Uncle Wiggily.

"About that—yes," answered the bug.

"Well, but you said you could make flowers grow in this bed Mr. Twisty- tail dug for me and that you could have them blossom right away so that I could pick an April bouquet for my wife," spoke the rabbit.

"Yes, and I can do it," burred the bug.

"How?" the rabbit gentleman wanted to know.

"By magic, just as I said at first."

"Will it hurt?" asked Uncle Wig- gily.

"Hal Hal Hal!" laughed the red bug. "What do you think? Far from it. Not that dentists hurt—far from it. They are very gentle. But if you want me to make magic, and cause flowers to grow in this bed of brown dirt the day after you planted seeds there, you must do exactly as I say."

"Oh, I'll do that," promised Uncle Wiggily.

"Then," said the red bug, folding his wings, "go down to your back fence and look over it. Come back and tell me what you see." Mr. Longears thought this very strange, but he did as the red bug told him. And what happened next you shall hear to-morrow night in the story Uncle Wiggily picks the flowers. But don't, on any account, let the trolley car chase the taxiderm around the corner and take off some of its tires.

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